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## DEMOCRATS CONCEDED VICTORY IN ELECTIONS

### Republicans Hopeless In Face Of New Deal Popularity

#### BAVARIANS DEFY GOVERNOR

DEMONSTRATION  
FOR BISHOP

VICTORY OVER  
REICHSBISHOP

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Nuremberg, Nov. 4.

Tens of thousands of peasants from all parts of Bavaria to-day hailed the restitution of the powers of the former South German Church authorities at a great rally in the city square here defying Governor von Streicher's express prohibition of any sign of a spontaneous demonstration.

They enthusiastically cheered Bishop Meiser, finally sweeping aside the thin cordon of policemen which surrounded the bishop's motor car.

The demonstration came as a result of the reinstatement in office of Bishop Meiser, together with others who had led the fight against Reichsbishop Mueller. The Bavarian peasants had solidly supported the churchmen in their long struggle against forced reforms which, they declared, would ruin the Lutheran Church in Germany.

Meanwhile, Governor von Streicher's announcement that Bishop Meiser had joined the Reich Church, under the leadership of Reichsbishop Mueller, and had submitted to the Reichsbishop's disciplinary power, was declared by the Bavarian Church authorities to be unfounded.—Reuter Special.

#### GROWING FAMILY OF CHURCH

#### INCREASING FASTER THAN POPULATION

Chicago, Nov. 4.

Church membership in the United States has multiplied four times faster than the population, it was reported at a National conference of religious faiths.

Catholic, Protestant and Jewish leaders, celebrating "a century of progress in religion," heard reports that religious worship had kept pace with the progress of science, invention and social welfare since 1800.

Dr. George Linn Kleffer, president of the Association of Statisticians of American Religious Bodies, said that while the Nation's population was increasing 22-fold during the last 134 years Church membership increased 80-fold.

"Approximately half the nation's entire population is definitely related to some church," he said, "and thousands of others maintain a personal religious tradition through marriage, burial and other religious rites without acknowledging church membership."

Weekly attendance at Protestant and Catholic churches and Jewish synagogues was estimated at 30,000,000 persons with about 150,000 new members being added each week.

**DEBTS DECREASED.**

Dr. Herman C. Weber, editor of the Year Book of American Churches, said the debts on 232,164 church properties, have been reduced "to the surprisingly low figure of 11 per cent." of the properties' value.

Catholic leaders said that enrollment in their parochial schools gained 100 per cent. in the last 25 years, while public school enrollment had gained only about 50%.

Mr. H. Paul Douglas, former director of the Institute of Social and Religious Research, reported the following "outstanding trends" in religious affairs: 1. Relatively fewer denominations than existed a century ago; 2. A slight gain in the proportion of men joining churches; 3. Rapid shifts in population from country to city, have provided churches with a major problem.—United Press.



Mr. Upton Sinclair, Democratic nominee for Governorship of California.

#### ANGLO-SOVIET AGREEMENT

Lena Goldfield  
Compensation

Moscow, Nov. 5.

The long Anglo-Soviet dispute over the Lena Goldfields concessions, caused through the revoking of mining rights by the Russian Government, has been settled.

An agreement was signed by representatives of the Soviet Government and the British operating company whereby, it is understood, the Soviet agrees to pay between £2,000,000 and £3,000,000 compensation.—Reuter

#### MONGOLIANS WILL MEET GEN. CHIANG

BETTER RELATIONS  
ENVISAGED

GENERAL'S TRIP  
TO KALGAN

Kalgan, Nov. 5.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek and party returned here from Changpei this evening, after obtaining an impression of the general conditions in the town.

General Soong Tse-yuen held a dinner party at Government House this evening in honour of the Mongolian Administration, intended to come from Peilingmiao to meet Marshal Chiang. Their interview with the Generalissimo is expected to result in substantial contribution toward strengthening the relations between Mongolia and the Central Government.—Central News.

Peking, Nov. 4.

Marshal and Madame Chiang Kai-shek, accompanied by General Soong Tse-yuen, Governor of Chahar Province, and party, arrived here this morning and were given an enthusiastic welcome by a large crowd at the railway station.

The Generalissimo and General Soong immediately drove to Changpei, a small town to the north of Kalgan, for a brief visit, while Madame Chiang took a motor trip around the suburbs of Kalgan for enjoyment of the scenery outside the Great Wall. The Generalissimo is expected to return to Kalgan this evening.—Central News.

#### SINCLAIR HAS SLIM CHANCE

CALIFORNIA WATCHES  
HYSTERICAL FIGHT

FORTY-SEVEN STATES  
POLL TO-MORROW

PROSPECTS OUTLINED

New York, Nov. 4.

With only a few hours left before the New Deal faces its test at the polls of forty-seven states, politicians all across the country concede that is the most important election since the Civil War. The general opinion seems to be that a decisive Democrat majority will be returned to Congress.

With radicalism past its peak, however, Mr. Upton Sinclair, the Communists' great hope, appears to be definitely beaten in the California gubernatorial contest. The betting in the state is five to one in favour of Governor Merriam.

The improbability of any serious Republican gains either in the House of Representatives or the Senate is ascribed to the fact that so few Republicans are willing to make an outright fight against the New Deal in view of President Roosevelt's personal popularity.

The enormous relief expenditures by the federal Government are expected to prove a deciding factor in the success of the New Deal Democrats. Leaders are reported to be warning needy voters that the continuance of their relief depends upon the Democratic candidates.

Republicans contend that it is hopeless to try to recapture Congress in face of "the biggest campaign chest in all history."

Latest reports from the political front are that Governor Lehman of New York is sure of a smashing victory.—Reuter.

PREDICTIONS.

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, Nov. 4.

Although party lines are unrecognizably scrambled throughout the country, impartial observers predict an overwhelming victory for the New Deal.

Whether such a victory will mean an overwhelming control in Congress remains to be seen. Forty-seven states are to go to the polls. The Maine elections were finished last September and gave the Democrats an almost clean sweep. But that result by no means indicates the present feelings of the nation.

The Republicans are making an effort to make the best possible showing, especially in the Senate vote, with a view to making a strong bid in the 1936 campaign. It is generally felt that the party has very little hope of breaking down the Roosevelt line this year.

**ANTI-SINCLAIR!**

In spite of the fact that President Roosevelt is known to have given Mr. Upton Sinclair his blessing, it is believed the Administration is pulling against the former Socialist campaigner. But Mr. Sinclair is fighting a formidable battle in his effort to win the governorship of the golden state of California.

Mr. John M. Callahan, Democratic senatorial nominee in Wisconsin, has also incurred the wrath of the administration and has been left by the machine. Whereas the administration has turned its face from Sinclair for his alleged visionary ideas, it has remembered that Callahan tried to aid the backers of Mr. Al Smith in 1932 when he sought to oppose Mr. Roosevelt.

AT HYDE PARK

President Roosevelt has gone to Hyde Park to resolve the returns.



Governor Frank Merriam, Republican candidate for California.

#### FLIERS HEAD FOR HOME

Parmentier And  
Moll At Darwin

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Nov. 4.

The latest movements of the Melbourne - England fliers have been reported here as follows:

Parmentier and Moll, the Dutch airmen, who were second to Scott and Black in their record-breaking dash from London to Melbourne, are at Darwin, on their way to Holland.

Capt. and Mrs. Mollison have hopped from Baghdad to Aleppo.—Reuter Special.

Later, Parmentier and Moll left Darwin at 8.25 p.m.

Inset is illustrated with a hideous figure of a Russian-looking creature waving a red flag.

Sinclair's group, meanwhile, is calling Governor Merriam a hypocrite, declaring that he pretends to support the Roosevelt New Deal with the sole purpose of getting votes, and after election would revert to his "stand-pat Toryism."

TAKING SIDES.

The country is divided rather remarkably. For instance, Mr. Louis B. Mayer is heading a group of film magnates which is solidly behind Governor Merriam. But there are many film stars, writers and other employees who are supporting Sinclair with equal zeal.

The noted "Hot Gospeller," Mrs. Almeda Semple McPherson, has given her support to Governor Merriam, whether he wants it or not, and has emerged from the obscurity of many months to wage a campaign in his behalf.

Many believe that certain of these anti-Sinclair efforts are causing a reaction in the writer-politician's favour.—United Press.

**THREE SIDED CAMPAIGN.**

San Francisco, Nov. 4.

The bitterly contested fight between Mr. Upton Sinclair and Mr. Frank Merriam for the governorship of California, will be decided on Nov. 6.

The count of the ballots will determine whether Sinclair, internationally famous Socialist author who turned Democrat, or Merriam, present Republican incumbent, will be governor for the next four years. Sinclair conducted a spectacular campaign based on his "End Poverty in California" plan to end poverty in California. Merriam became governor on Nov. 7.

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#### "FLEA HOP" ACROSS PACIFIC

KINGSFORD SMITH'S  
DESCRIPTION

GERMAN PLANE  
CRASHES

London, Nov. 4.

Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, famous Australian airman, accompanied by Capt. Taylor, his navigator and radio operator, arrived at Oakland, California, at 7.05 a.m. (Local Time) to-day.

He thus completed a trans-Pacific crossing, flying from Australia, via Fiji and Hawaii, in remarkably short flying time.

He left Brisbane on October 20, but was detained for many days in the Fiji Islands and again at Honolulu, weather always being responsible. His actual flying time for the whole trip was somewhere in the vicinity of four days.

Sir Charles describes the final stage of their journey, from Honolulu to California, as "a mere flea hop."

FLIES TO LOS ANGELES.

Los Angeles, Nov. 4.

Sir Charles Kingsford Smith and Capt. Taylor flew from Oakland to Los Angeles to-day.

A short time after they landed they took off again for the great western American metropolis where a great welcome awaited them.

The Australian fliers left Oakland at 4.17 p.m. (Local Time) and arrived at Los Angeles at 3.34 p.m., travelling at an easy speed over the intervening rugged country.

GERMANS' BAD LUCK.

But while Sir Charles and Capt. Taylor were making their successful rush towards California, another pair of ocean fliers were spinning to a crash on the Atlantic side of the world.

A big Lufthansa mail plane crashed near Carcassonne while engaged in the trans-Atlantic South American service. The plane was completely destroyed and the pilot received several head injuries. The wireless operator, by a freak of fortune, was unhurt and was able to assist his comrade from the wreckage.—Reuter.

INDEFINITE PLANS.

The plans of the airmen are indefinite, as yet, but it is believed they may either fly to New York, and possibly cross the Atlantic, and subsequently make an attempt to better the England-Australia record recently established by Scott and Black.

On the other hand, they may turn back and re-cross the Pacific. According to the Los Angeles Times, they will remain some weeks in America.—United Press.

#### CANTON AERIAL SERVICE

PLANE TAKES UP  
PASSENGERS

Canton, Nov. 3.

The C.N.A.C. plane which arrived yesterday afternoon at 2.46 is taking several Chinese and foreign officials, and friends up this afternoon for a short flight over the city.

Captain Allison, the chief pilot, accompanied by Messrs. Sellers, Elmer, and Croger flew from Swatow yesterday in just over one and a half hours.—Our Own Correspondent.

RAUB DIVIDEND

The Hongkong Stock Exchange have received a cable from Messrs. Derrick & Co., Local Secretaries in Singapore of the Raub Australian Gold Mining, Ltd., announcing the declaration of a third interim dividend of 6d. per share for the year ending March 31, 1935, payable on December 15, 1934.

#### PLANNED INFLATION

FORCING BUSINESS  
RECOVERY

Washington, Nov. 3.

Observers here expect a moderate business recovery during the next six months. The Government policy is

to force business activity by controlled inflation, Government direction of management of bank credit policy, and the creation of construction with Government money. Great emphasis is placed on the Government programme for the stimulation of home repair and home building under the Housing Act.—Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

#### RUBBER CONTROL NOW POSSIBLE

INCREASED QUOTAS  
TO LOWER PRICE?

SIAM PROBLEM  
A DIFFICULTY

London, Nov. 4.

The rubber quota compromise between Great Britain and Holland has met with a mixed reception, according to the Financial Times Amsterdam correspondent.

While some quarters believe that the ensuing increased exports will cause a lowering of prices, it is admitted that this compromise was the only way of solving the native rubber producers' problem, unless the Dutch East Indies Government could have altered the present relation between the estate and native quotas.

Dutch Government circles hope that the native output can at last be controlled by means of this move which gives the island growers a greater share of the market.

It is hoped that the International Committee will tackle the question of Siamese production at the earliest possible moment, especially in view of the danger of smuggling from that source.—Reuter.

#### STEADY ADVANCE AGAINST REDS

Attack On Juichin  
Contemplated

Foochow, Nov. 5.

A Government report states that some of the troops who have occupied Changting are advancing towards the Kiangsi border in order to effect conjunction with other Central Government units in Kiangsi, in preparation for an advance on Juichin, capital of the Chinese Soviet Government.

The city is thought to be stationed only by a handful of Reds as the main bodies of the defending troops have moved to southwestern Kiangsi.—Central News.

Poon Wai-suen, merchant of 80, Li Yuen Street, died on June 12 leaving local estate assessed under \$119,600. Probate has been granted to Poon Kai-ang and Poon Yau-ung, of the same address.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kotewall are giving a reception at their residence, 20th Street, on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Phoebe, to Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tze-yee.



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## CREDIT QUARREL

London, Oct. 26.

While the turn-over of Anglo-Russian trade in the first six months of this year surpassed that of the corresponding period in 1933 by about 60 per cent., German commerce with the Soviets has been dwindling rapidly.

Examination of reliable figures has revealed that, while Russia has been ruthlessly throttling her imports, Britain has moved up to first place among the countries from which Moscow is buying. Whether deliberately or fortuitously, the British have profited both by the frigid Russo-German political relations and consequent slump in their trade and by the stagnation in Russo-American commerce, due partly to failure to settle pre-Bolshevik debts to the United States and partly to disagreement on credit facilities to the Soviets.

How severely Germany has suffered in the Russian market is indicated by the fact that German exports to the Soviet Union in the first half-year of 1934 were valued at only 36,000,000 marks, as compared with 173,500,000 marks during the corresponding six months of 1933. German imports from Russia have remained almost stationary in the two periods mentioned, having totalled 80,400,000 and 83,100,000 marks in the first semesters of 1934 and 1933 respectively.

## SERIOUS LOSS.

As a result, Germany's share of Russia's global imports has fallen from more than 50 per cent. during the first few months of 1933 to approximately 15 per cent. this year.

According to the *Frankfurter Zeitung*, Soviet orders being placed in Germany now range between three and four million marks a month.

In the meantime, Russia has swiftly been paying back to Germany the credits granted for purchase of German products. Germany's outstanding credits to the Soviets are now estimated at about 300,000,000 marks, contrasted with about 1,500,000,000 marks in 1931-32.

## CREDIT DISPUTE.

The systematic curtailment of Russian orders in Germany and the steady repayment of German credits to the Soviets has been due, not merely to the political and social antagonism of the Kremlin towards Nazi Germany, but also to inability of the Germans and Russians to agree on credit conditions and prices for future business. According to German sources of information, Moscow has been insisting on six to ten year terms of payment for further big purchases in Germany, whereas the Germans declare that Russia has been asking excessive prices for commodities which Germany would otherwise import from the Soviet Union.

Whatever its causes, the drastic drop in Soviet buying in Germany has universally been recognised as one of the fundamental reasons for the German acute shortage of gold and foreign currency which Germany requires to finance her imports.—*United Press.*

## BUST FOR VIENNA

A bust of Madach, the author of "The Tragedy of Man," which was commissioned by the Madach Society from a Hungarian sculptor, will be bought by Herr Rohrbach of the museum of the Burg Theatre, in Vienna.

## WOOL NET

A Gown In Claret  
Coloured Velvet

WITH WIDE BERTHE



"Wool Net". A gown in claret colour "ring" velvet was very smartly finished with a berthe of coffee-coloured wool net which had an edging of wool tassels.

## "JACKET" POTATOES

A LARGE potato roasted in its jacket makes an excellent foundation for a quick, hot meal.

Cut it in half lengthwise when done, sprinkle the two sections with grated cheese, and put a few pats of butter on top. Return the halves to the oven until nicely browned.

Another way is to cut the potato as before, scoop out the floury part carefully and mix it with a little butter, milk, seasonings, and finely chopped parsley. Return it to its half-jackets, and heat through and brown in the oven.

Alternatively, the scooped-out potato can be mixed with beaten egg. In this case the "jackets," after refilling, must be baked for twenty minutes or so in a moderate oven in order to cook the egg. Other savoury additions are chopped walnuts, gherkins, onions, ham and tongue.

EMANCIPATION  
OF GIPSYLEADERS SEEKING  
RECOGNITION

The first Tzigrane daily paper, *Neamul Ciganesc* (*Tzigrane Nation*), appeared in Bucharest recently, and marks the appearance of the Tzigranes as an independent nationality.

The Tzigranes in Rumania number one million souls, and in the latest Rumanian statistics they are recognised as a separate nationality. A few weeks ago a mass meeting of Tzigranes was held at Nagyazeben, in Transylvania, and the Rumanian folk of the whole world were called on to co-operate in elevating their race from the inferior position it has held until now.

The president of the meeting and organiser of the Tzigrane emancipation is a Bucharest florist, Nicolaeescu, who urges the Rumanians occupying high position who are of Tzigrane descent to confess their origin openly.

Dr. Nicolaeescu Plopaor, a professor in Craiova, who declares himself to be of gipsy origin has completed a Tzigrane grammar, and recently published a collected edition of gipsy songs. This book is stated to be the first book published in this language, apart from some grammars, among which the grammar written by the late Archduke Joseph is one of the oldest.

## WIRELESS

## MYSTERY

BROADCASTS THAT  
GO ASTRAY

A special committee has been set up as the result of the recent meeting of the International Scientific Radio Union in London to tackle one of the most extraordinary problems ever encountered in radio science.

The committee has set itself the task of finding out why, when a radio listener tunes into a programme, say, from a station like Drottwich, which radiates on a wavelength of 1,500 metres, he hears instead a programme of dance music coming from Athlone—the wavelength for which is only 531 metres.

Interference is not unusual when the stations are approximately the same wavelength, but when their wavelengths are as far apart as in the case of Drottwich and Athlone such reception constitutes something new to radio experimenters.

It has been found to happen with many other pairs of stations.

Professor E. V. Appleton, one of the foremost authorities on these subjects, and a number of other leading scientists are following a remarkable line of investigation.

## WAR FACTOR.

It suggests that when the programme transmitted from Drottwich travels in the form of wireless to the upper atmosphere millions of miles above the earth it cuts across the programme being broadcast by a station such as Athlone.

Somehow the waves of the talks programme from Drottwich get mixed up with the music waves coming from Athlone—scientists do not really know how—and the result is that the music goes to the Drottwich listeners and at certain times the talks go to Athlone listeners.

So impressed are radio scientists with this new phenomenon that they are to call on the World Radio Research League—the organisation of amateur experimenters formed by the B.B.C.—to help them.

Mr. Ralph Stranger, secretary of the League, says, "The subject has infinite possibilities."

"It is fascinating to think that if such interference between stations can be controlled it may become a vital force in warfare."

"Wireless war propaganda, for instance, could be changed by an enemy country."

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AGAINST CANCER

Count Jacob Potocki, whose death was announced recently, has left almost his entire fortune, valued at 100,000,000 zlotys (about £4,000,000), to be devoted to the struggle against cancer and tuberculosis.

He owned large estates and numerous chateaux in Poland, and hotels in Paris, Biarritz, Cannes, and Juan-les-Pins.

He has bequeathed his library and a magnificent art collection to the National Library and Museum respectively.

During his life Count Potocki, one of the richest men in Poland, was well known for his philanthropy.

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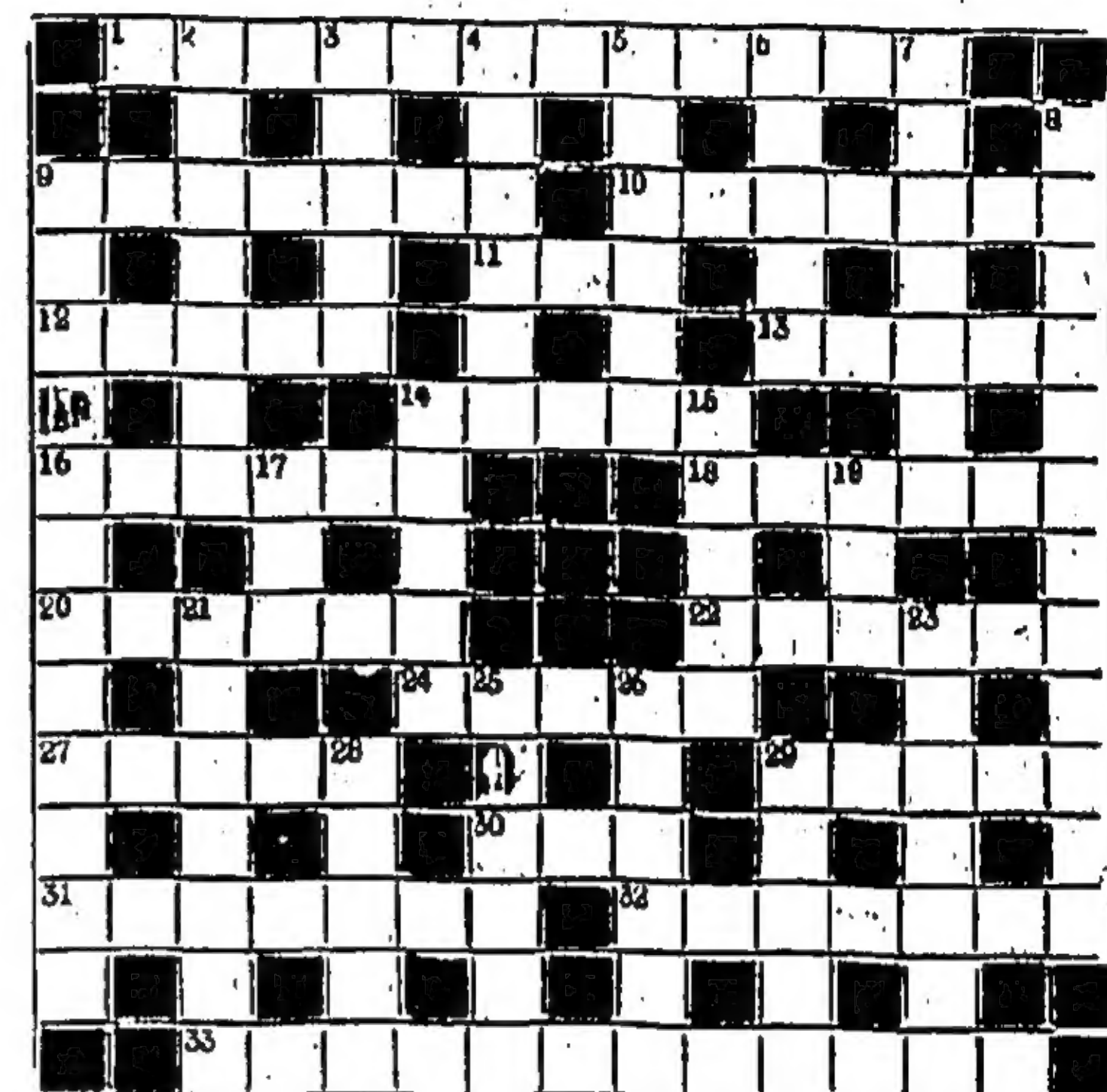
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- "Nay, Tom, A," not I (anag.).
- His lock is famous.
- Spider horse, bird or not.
- Dynasty.
- The youngster who completely grips.
- Skins may be so spell.
- Mother runs into a corner to wring out the clothes.
- The sort of jar you may get in a Dutch town.
- Pin (not poet) and peasant.
- My pugs are made of plaster of Paris.
- You may read without skipping; these skip without reading.
- Paradises (and in the ship, too) for children.
- Opening question.
- This may be dressed in costume—or in salad.
- Great pain is indicated.
- Sadly, I say, this makes vile hay.
- On "yon log, Porthos" sits studying this (anag.).

## Down

- Leave a strip in the middle.
- Make tracks for this.
- Soul personified.
- Sounds as though bunny had got into a groove, doesn't it?
- Clowns: there are lots around you.
- Related as changed.
- Certain mathematics which lead to more trying.
- Affords protection against oil.

the materials used being as in a

- Pale jewels; can even be paler.
- A gun is the right thing for these garden pests.
- Fiddle string! you can pull the wrong way.
- Bark.
- The genus of birds that beat an Indian city.
- Rotating anything on its axis.
- One would think its weight was now well known.
- When you address his lordship it is quite the right thing to mention his shop.
- Not much.
- The timorous bird.

## Saturday's Solution

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## ANCIENT CRAFTS OF ENGLAND'S CAPITAL

(BY A CORRESPONDENT)

There are craftsmen in London who can make by hand a "self-bow" in Spanish yew as deftly as the bowyers of olden days. This fact I learned while seeking out among the 25,000 occupations of London's eight millions those ancient crafts that persist as legacies of the times when all men wrought by hand. And just as you may buy from the modern bowyer a true hand-made bow, so you may turn to the London fletcher who has inherited the art of goose-feathering an arrow with all the skill and cunning of the medieval worker.

Before the invention of the steel pen by Bryan Donkin the craft of quill-making gave employment to thousands. There remain in London still a handful of quill-makers who find a market for their wares among the legal folk and that small minority of writers that prefers the goose-quill to the most modern of fountain-pens. The craft has come down the centuries unchanged, the quill-dresser of modern London handles the undressed quill, hakes it, and points it as did the quillmakers of the eighteenth century.

In ancient Greece there were craftsmen who could produce gold leaf one hundred-thousandth of an inch in thickness. Gold-beaters in the Middle Ages performed that miracle, too. In modern London you may see the master craftsman who can surpass all those who went before him, for, using the old traditional methods, the

other public buildings.

If you require a hand-made lock—that is, hand-made throughout—it is still possible to find the master craftsman who can make you one. Machinery has all but extinguished this ancient craft. In the London workshop of a master locksmith you may see still in use tools and equipment that have been in use since the eighteenth century. Here, scornful of machines, locksmiths, employed by a firm that can boast that its founder made the first great keys of Newgate, make locks by hand. No machine, they will tell you, can make a lock to compare with the hand-made article.

### GLASS HOUSES.

The wanderer about London's byways may wonder at the frequency with which he will come on Glass-yards, Glassfields, and Glass-streets. These names derived from the vicinity of old London's glass-houses. Only one of these houses survives, though the eighteenth century could show a glass house for every so-called thoroughfare. In those old glass houses tumblers, decanters, and similar glassware were made entirely by hand, and the craft still exists, being carried on quite near St. Paul's.

But for the uniform of the Bar one craft would by now have vanished entirely. If the wig-maker still flourishes, he owes his existence to the lawyers. He



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modern master-man makes gold-leaf 250,000th of an inch in thickness.

### STICKS TO METHOD.

As with most ancient crafts that have descended from generation to generation, the gold-beater may improve in handicraft, but he eschews changes of method. There are four master gold-beaters in London, and it is their boast that theirs is the most ancient of all crafts. They point, in evidence, to the gold-leaf that adorns the mummy case of An-Anef, in the British Museum, a specimen of their craft that goes back to 2,600 B.C. There is no machinery that can do this work, and that is why you may still see in London the gold-beater and hear his 8-lb. hammer as it descends upon the marble bench.

It is from the workshops of London's gold-beaters that will come the gold-leaf for the re-decoration of the Albert Memorial which is now in progress; it is gold-leaf from these workshops that gilds St. Paul's Cathedral, the Houses of Parliament, and many

works by hand, and the horse-hair product of his craft remains unchanged. Between this craft and the making of theatrical wigs there is a wide difference. Theatrical wigs are not made to last; but the product of the legal wig-maker is required to stand up to long years of service. In the small window of a legal-wigmaker I saw just how well his wares last, for there, good as the day the learned judge first donned it, stands the wig of Sir Henry Hawkins, later Baron Bramwell.

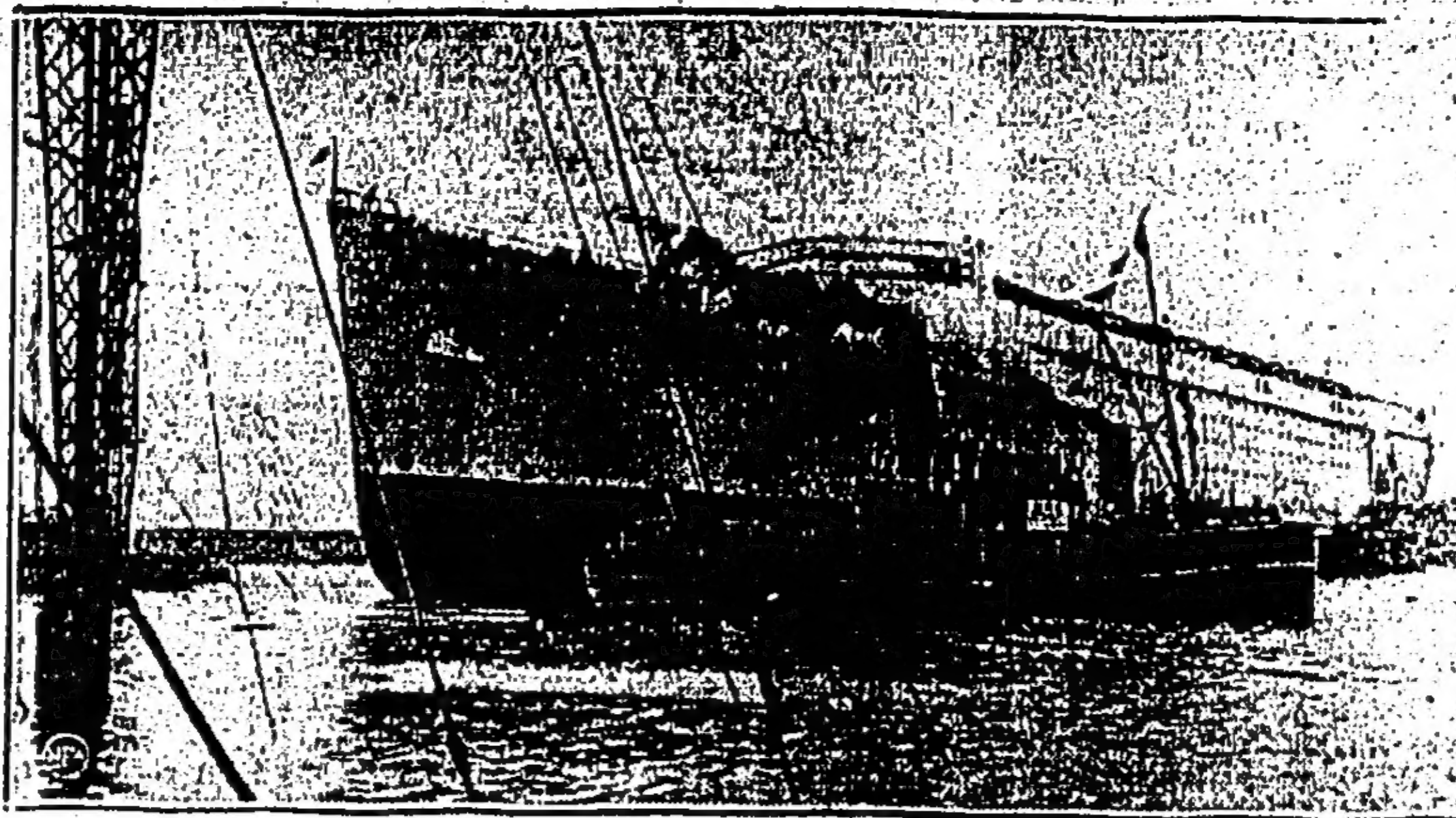
### WHITE MAGIC.

Among London's old shops one can still come upon those quaint, ill-lit back premises where men still work by hand. For example, a minute's walk from Regent-street there is a little shop where one of the queerest traditional occupations is still carried on. There, in a workshop littered with precious and semi-precious stones, with jacinth, jade, crystal, and amber, a craftsman caters for those who still hold that in the magic amulet lies power to propitiate the powers of evil.

Here a craftsman turns out jewelled talismans, each one in accordance with astrological maps and prepared for the customer whose horoscope acts as guide to the mysteries of fate and futurity. Strange as it may seem, these costly ornaments go out from London to every part of the world; for not even machines can extinguish credulity.

Which is London's oldest shop? Most people will say, off-hand, that it stands in the Haymarket, adding that one can still buy there the snuffs beloved of the bucks of Regency days. It is quite true you can buy in that ancient house precisely that snuff used by King George III.

But if you would find the oldest shop in London you will have to wander East. Bell-founding is an ancient craft, and in Whitechapel-road there stands the oldest bell-founders in London. That firm can show a record of trading that goes back in unbroken succession to 1670, though the present premises are a mere two centuries old.



The mysterious giant passenger vessel "No. 534," on which the merged Cunard and White Star lines of England developed more than three years' work, finally splashed into the River Clyde, near Glasgow, Scotland, when Queen Mary christened the ship with her own name. Although the most powerful ship afloat, the Queen Mary will be second in size to France's new super-liner, the Normandie, launched two years ago.

## ZEPPELIN'S VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY

Rio De Janeiro, Oct. 28.

Ruins of lost cities, legendary monuments like those of Easter Island, and strange Indian tribes will be sought from the air next year when a new Zeppelin makes three scientific flights over the Amazon and its tributaries.

Special machinery enabling the dirigible to remain suspended just above the ground while a Gondola is lowered to land scientists for detailed research will be installed.

The expedition will seek detailed information of the world-famous country of orchids in the valley of the River Madeira. Attempts will be made to locate the ruins of ancient cities, once reported existent but long since barred from man's view.

Into the vast territories between the Amazon and Bahia the Zeppelin scientists will cruise hoping to establish important historic facts concerning the age and origin of these "lost cities," such as the well-known Sincora.

The mission may even incorporate rescue with science, says its prospectus, for a descent is planned in the districts of Matto Grosso, in central Brazil, a land of gold and the mythical Martynia amongst whom the British explorer, Colonel P. H. Fawcett, was reported to have disappeared.

### FAWCETT'S TALE.

It was Fawcett who claimed the existence in these regions of cities and settlements and an attempt will be made to locate an old tribe and their monuments of stone believed to be similar to those found on Easter Island.

Efforts will also be made to trace the German explorer Schmidt, who, like Dr. Ritter and the Galapagos Islands, deserted civilisation for Matto Grosso and according to reports became chief of a belligerent tribe and at the age of 60 married his second Indian wife recently.

It is planned on the flight over Central Brazil to bring about a meeting of all accessible tribes of Indians, to have them witness the most modern means of transportation in the world through a unique reception in the middle of the virgin forest where the Zeppelin will land.

### HUNTING WHITE INDIANS.

The expedition will search for tribes of Indians about whom little is known. A visit will be made to the region occupied by the "white" Indians and in the districts between Xingu and Tapajoz rivers they will attempt to trace the Pygmies. The location of these settlements are known but have never been visited by white men. The Zeppelin will make a final trip over Southern Brazil, over

thickly populated districts and the richest coffee plantations of the world, passing over the great waterfalls of Iguaçu and Sete Quedas, biggest in the world.

The shadow of the great dirigible will also fall across the cave city near Curitiba and passing southward into the interior the expedition will seek the ruins of an old desert city believed to exist in the forest of the River Uruguay.

United Press.

## "FATHER OF THE DESERT"

In a lecture to the Royal Central Asian Society, Major C. S. Jarvis, who has been Governor of Sinai for twelve years, dealt with the Arab and his characteristics, such as his heedlessness of the value of time and punctuality. "Time to him is not a dimension—it is merely a state of mind." The lecturer held the view that the Arab invasion of the seventh century put the clock back in the Middle East for thirteen hundred years, and pointed to the past prosperity of the deserts of Trans-Jordan, Southern Palestine, and Libya, comparing it with their present deserted and neglected state. It was a misnomer to allude to the Arab as the "Son of the Desert," for he was, to be exact, the father of the desert, having very largely created it himself by his neglect and carelessness, i.e., failure to

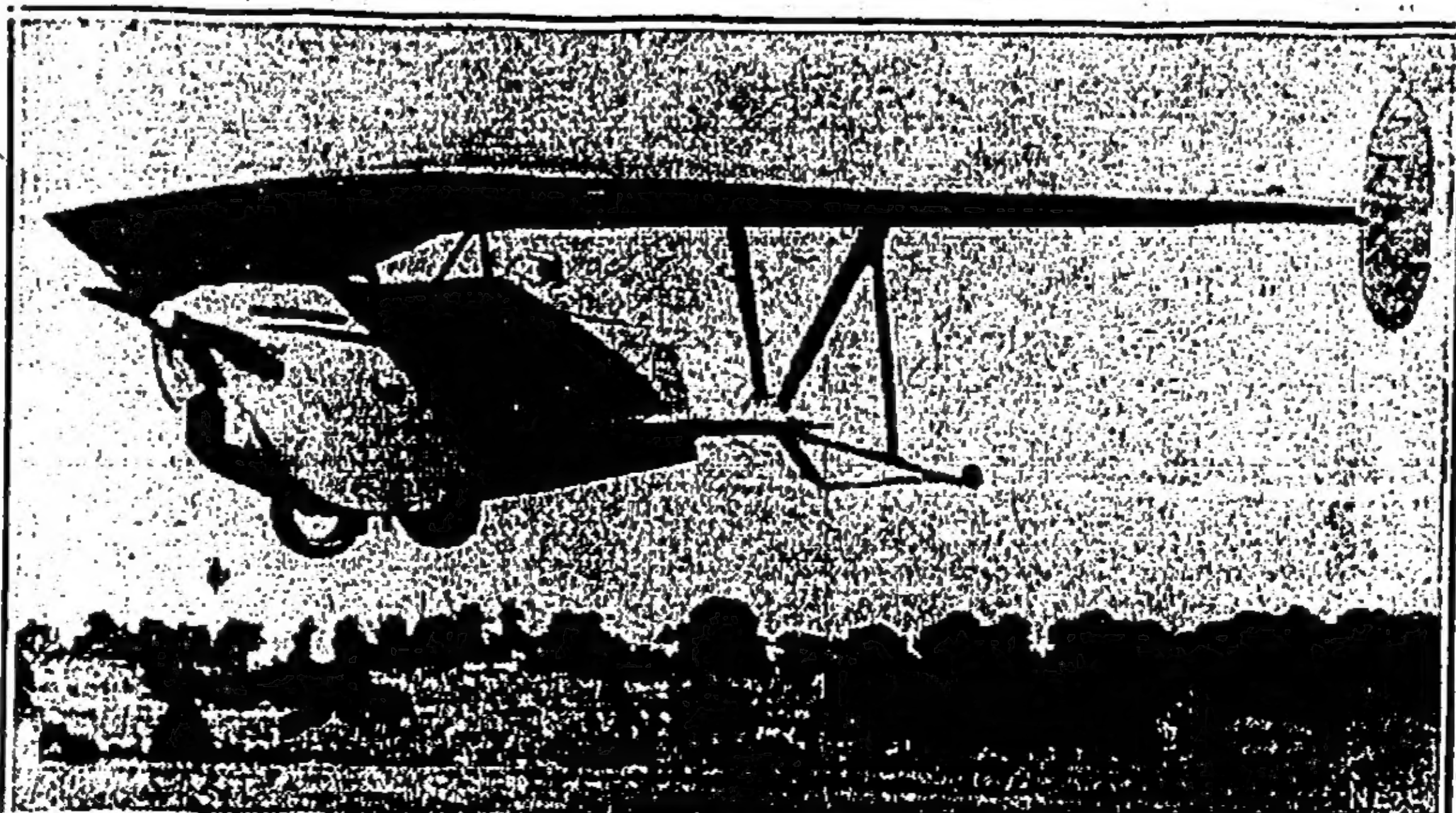


Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, the American Minister in Denmark, is seen above entertaining some Eskimo children during her recent visit in Greenland.

### GERMAN DOCUMENTS

"Friends of Europe," in their September survey of German publications, have reproduced important representative documents from the German Press in relation to the recent General Election of Hitler as leader of the Third Reich. A lengthy survey appears of a new book, "Blood and Honour," by Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, the well-known Nazi leader.

repair dams, water channels, springs, etc., and allowing his camels and goats to destroy trees and vegetation. The govt. Major Jarvis—quoting from the Scriptures—alluded to as "a leader in mighty wickedness," and to a very large extent held this animal responsible for the incursions of sand dunes that have covered so much useful land in the Middle East.



More speed and greater efficiency in the air is predicted by designers of the "pterodactyl" plane, which eliminates the cumbersome fuselage, tail and rudder of the conventional type of aircraft. One of the odd craft is shown in a test flight at Yeovil, England. It is named for the most primitive flying animal known to science.

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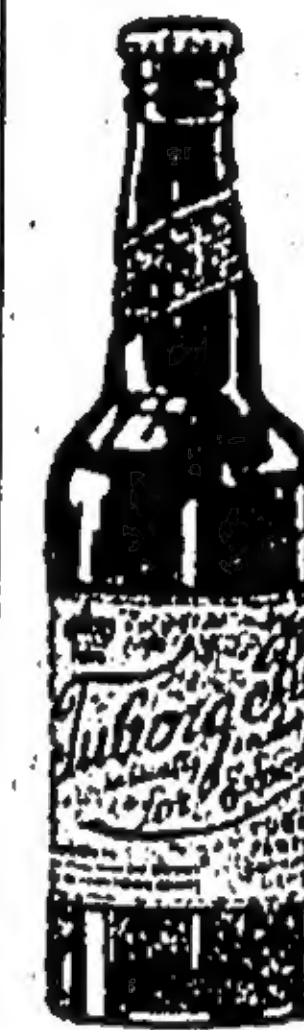
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## ST. ANDREW'S HALL.

Members of St. Andrew's Society attending this function are requested to return their Ball Subscription Lists to the Joint Hon. Secretary at their earliest convenience. This will permit the issuing of Invitation Cards in good time for Members and Guests to attend the Practice Dance.

Hongkong, 3rd November, 1934.

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Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the shareholders in the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th November, 1934, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st November, 1934, to 14th November, 1934, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, G. MILNE, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 29th October, 1934.

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## PAWNSHOP ROBBED.

YOUNG WOMAN FACES CHARGE OF RECEIVING

A young married woman, Tsui Yip, faced a charge of receiving stolen property comprising a gold ring, gold beads, gold finger ring, two strips of gold and \$100 in banknotes, when she appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday. Defendant was given the benefit of the doubt and discharged.

Inspector Shattain, appearing for the prosecution, stated that on the night of October 24 a pawnshop at Tsunwan was robbed by two men, one of whom was believed to be a clansman of the pawnbroker, and was also the husband of defendant.

The robbers had a motor car waiting for them, and managed to get away very quickly. On information received a raid was conducted on 125, Fuk Wah Street, at the time of the raid the defendant was in bed, but was asked to get up. A search of her cubicle led to the discovery of a packet of banknotes and some jewellery, which were identified as part of the valuables stolen from the pawnshop.

Defendant's husband had told her that he was going to Macao, and that he might not return. He had given defendant the money and jewellery for her future support.

## FRANCE AND SOVIET.

RELATIONS NOW STAND ON A FIRM BASIS

Moscow, Nov. 3. Striking utterances dwelling on the Franco-Soviet rapprochement were made to-day by M. Herriot, in an interview published by Pravda, the official organ of the Soviet Government.

M. Herriot declared that Franco-Soviet relations now stood on a firm basis and had the best of prospects.—Reuter.



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### CHRISTMAS PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

The Christmas Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at Noon on November 9 per s.s. Bhutan. The Public are kindly requested to post early. This mail is due to arrive at London on December 16.

## AIR MAIL SERVICES.

### IMPERIAL AIRWAYS VIA SINGAPORE.

Bandung-Amsterdam via Singapore, Saigon-Marseilles via Saigon. Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transmission by these Services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. All letters etc., must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. Unless superscribed for despatch by a specific air mail service, correspondence will be forwarded by the first service available.

### VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

### INWARD MAILS.

Japan	Manila Maru	November 6
Japan	Melbourne Maru	November 6
Straits	Melbourne Maru	November 6
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 16th October).	Chenonceaux	November 6
Straits	Yasukuni Maru	November 6
Shanghai	Agamemnon	November 7
Japan and Shanghai	Taishima Maru	November 7
Japan	Taiyo Maru	November 8
Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	November 8
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 20th October)	Bhutan	November 9
Japan and Shanghai	Emp. of Japan	November 9
Japan and Shanghai	General Sherman	November 9
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 12th October)	Haruna Maru	November 9
Australia and Manila	Pres. van Buren	November 9
London—Parcels only—London, 4th Oct.	Taipei	November 9
Japan	Patroclus	November 10
Shanghai	Ginjo Maru	November 11
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 10th October)	Taipei	November 11
Japan	Pres. Lincoln	November 12
Calcutta and Straits	Naka Maru	November 13
	Takada	November 13

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Monday.		
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon. Nov. 5, 3 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, Mombasa, *India, *Mauritius, *East and *South Africa	Manila Maru	Mon. Nov. 5, 3.30 p.m.
Amoy	Anshan	Mon. Nov. 5, 5 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Melbourne	Melbourne Maru	Mon. Nov. 5, 5 p.m.
Brisbane—due Brisbane, 10th November	Parcels	Nov. 5, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 5, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 5, 5 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Batavia	Tjisalak	Tues. Nov. 6, 9.30 a.m.
Mauritius, Reunion, Lourenco Mar. quia and South Africa via Batavia	Tjisalak	Tues. Nov. 6, 9.30 a.m.
	(To connect with the s/s "Houtman" at Batavia leaving Batavia, 14th November)	
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Chenonceaux	Tues. Nov. 6
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg. Nov. 6, 9.30 a.m.	Reg. Nov. 6, 10 a.m.	
Letters Nov. 6, 9.30 a.m.	Letters Nov. 6, 10.30 a.m.	
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Chenonceaux	Tues. Nov. 6
(Due Marseilles, 5th December)		
K.P.O.	G.P.O.	
Reg. Nov. 6, 10 a.m.	Reg. Nov. 6, 10.45 a.m.	
Letters Nov. 6, 11 a.m.	Letters Nov. 6, 11.30 a.m.	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and G. G. Paul Doumer		
Hai Phong		Tues. Nov. 6, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues. Nov. 6, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Yasukuni Maru	Tues. Nov. 6, 5 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Agamemnon		Wed. Nov. 7
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 6th December)		
K.P.O.	G.P.O.	
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INTERNATIONAL  
SPORT

The question whether international sports contests are not productive of more harm than good, which is to be debated locally this week, has claimed a great deal of attention lately. It has caused sportsmen of other times to indulge in melancholy reflections on present-day tendencies. These old-timers declare that in practically every sport nowadays, whether in the field, on the water, or indoors, explosions of the competitive spirit have become normal rather than exceptional. And, inevitably, they add that it was not so in the old days, when sportsmanship was a word with a real meaning, and tempers were kept well under control. Certainly the record of the last few years, in many departments of sport, has been a bad one. Football of both codes, tennis, boxing, golf, and other games have contributed to the long chain of "scenes" or episodes to which is usually applied the euphemism "regrettable." Cricket, which used to be synonymous with all that is fair and genial, has lately had its escutcheon sullied. And recently even yacht racing, has come under a cloud. The only explanation that can be offered of the quarrelsomeness of sportsmen is that international or individual rivalries are becoming too keen, and that restraint and reticence are suffering in the process. The increase of publicity is a factor that must be taken into consideration when we attempt to compare sportsmanship to-day with that of earlier generations. To-day every "scene," whether in sport, in Parliament, or elsewhere, is recorded with the utmost speed and particularly, as if it were the "scenes," and not the quiet tempered parts of the proceedings, that mattered most. Further, publicity has tended to give some sportsmen an exaggerated sense of their importance, and to produce ebullitions of "temperament." But allowance must be made for the much larger number of competitors who now take part in sports of all sorts. The actual incidence of incidents, so to speak, may not be much greater in proportion than it used to be, though publicity, the microphone, and other ubiquitous ministers of modernity may make it appear so. But when all has been said by way of explanation or apology that can be said, the bald, disturbing fact remains that most people are inclined to take sport competitions too seriously and too often fall to put the soft pedal on their tempers. This is the more regrettable in international contests, for we like to think of the association of

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## "PEACE DAY"

It may be that British peoples, when they observe the two minutes' silence on November 11 and mark the sixteenth anniversary of the armistice which ended hostilities in the World War, will be possessed of a certain unconsciousness for the future. It may be that they will feel that the world has learned little and forgotten much of the lesson which the War should have taught. With each year that they are removed from the horror of 1914-18 they may consider that the phrase "post-war" describes less accurately than "pre-war" the era in which they live. While sober observers refuse to discern another war as imminent, they are reluctant to rule out the danger of conflict in the immediate future. And there are some, whose views, it is to be hoped, are not so rational, who believe that another world catastrophe is not only threatening but inevitable.

## GERMAN REVIVAL.

In all fairness it must be admitted that Germany's desire to shake free of the fetters of armament limitation, in view of the heavy war-machines surrounding her, is not unnatural. Her revival as a great military power is the thing which worries many diplomats, however. That she has, in fact, already torn up certain clauses of the Treaty of Versailles is taken for granted. The clandestine German air force and its corresponding ground-work has been viewed as so formidable as to hasten co-operative agreements among powers which might be effected. Thus Britain and France throughout the year have discussed their common defence scheme on land and in the air.

## SEEKING ALLIANCES

Meanwhile France has reverted to her erstwhile ally in Russia and it is assumed that an agreement exists for joint action against Germany if the necessity arises. The Saar provides a dangerous situation at the present time and Austria is considered another point of menace, a powder barrel into which the spark of German-Italian-Yugo-Slavian rivalries may be tossed at any moment; and there are indications that Germany, Yugo-Slavian and others are arranging an alliance for their own protection. Alliances have been called the seeds of war, and if that be a truth, there is a good crop already sown in Europe. The fact is, however, that these alliances are not generally known to exist, if indeed they actually do, so that there is still a hope that the crop may be a failure. If it is, there surely will be no-one to complain. Unless, therefore, the situation alters materially before November 11, we shall still have something to be thankful for and may stand in silence for those two minutes without the tormenting fear that the peace of the world cannot last.

## PERSIAN POETS

As will have been seen by a news message recently, the British Government was represented at a luncheon held under the auspices of the Royal Central Asian Society in the House of Lords in memory of the great Persian poet, Firdausi, whose millenary is now being celebrated. The celebrations may do something to correct the popular impression that Omar Khayyam is the greatest of the Persian poets. It seems, says a writer in the London Observer, that in Persia they do not think much of Omar. His themes are lacking in dignity; his narrative is not coherent; his muse is short on the wing. On the other hand, Firdausi wrote a complete history of Persia in 60,000 verses at the rate of a gold piece for each verse (he got only a silver one, but that was owing to an economical Treasurer). At all events, that was a Magna Opus, whereas Omar has written only a handful of epigrams, each halting along on four lines. It is difficult to judge between the two poets, for translations of Firdausi are few, and partial and difficult of access, whereas Fitzgerald is on every bookshelf. And it cannot be denied that the poet who writes of Love and Wine and Fate has an advantage over him who sings of Sapor and Chosroes. There is also the accident—one in a million—that Omar found a poet to translate (and occasionally supplement) him. In any proper system of reincarnation, the poet would reappear in a future century as his own translator.

the world's peoples on the sporting field as a valuable means of producing understanding and amity, instead of which it seems to have become a prolific source of rancour and antipathy.

STALIN IS RUSSIA'S  
MAN OF STEEL

By W. H. CHAMBERLAIN

AN observer with a statistical turn of mind set out to count the portraits which were displayed along a stretch of one of Moscow's main streets during last year's celebration of the anniversary of the Revolution on Nov. 7. The result of the count was impressive and significant. There were more portraits of Joseph Stalin than of Lenin and of all the present-day Bolshevik leaders, such as Kaganovich, Molotov and Voroshilov put together, with Marx and Engels, the pioneers of Socialism, thrown in.

This is only one of innumerable evidences of Stalin's predominant position in the Soviet Union. Stalin's name, along with that of Premier Molotov, appears on every outstanding government decree. He receives the most prolonged ovations on his rare public appearances. It is to him that letters recording the achievements of factories and collective farms are sent. His word of praise is most prized by the individual who may have earned distinction in some way.

The list of things that are named after him is almost as countless as the sands of the sea. They range from major enterprises, such as the White-Baltic Sea Canal, completed by prison labour under the supervision of the Gay-Pay-Go, and the former Amo automobile plant, to obscure communes in remote country districts.

Stalin's grip on the direction of Soviet policy is absolute and all-pervading. It is an open secret that no important step in foreign policy is taken without his approval. He has been most prominently identified with the drive for rapid industrialisation and for the collectivisation of agriculture; and here again his imprint is to be seen on all the more significant measures in these fields.

We have the authority of D. Manuilsky, leading Russian Communist representative in the Executive Committee of the Communist International that "not one document of great importance, possessing big international significance, has been issued by the Communist International without the most active participation of Stalin in its preparation." So Stalin's authority is little, if any, less absolute among Communists in foreign countries than it is in the Soviet Union.

A trait of Stalin's personality that seems worthy of more than incidental mention is his remarkable addiction to detail. Things that seem surprisingly small, by comparison with the larger problems in which he is engrossed, evidently come to his personal attention. Two illustrations of this point come to the writer's mind. The family of a Russian scientist was threatened with eviction under hard circumstances. When appeals to all the normal authorities failed, a direct message to Stalin brought an immediate response; the eviction was stopped. A foreign research worker found himself hampered by bureaucratic red tape in getting his material out of the country. Again the message to Stalin was effective; the red tape was cut away at one stroke.

Stalin to-day stands out, along with Mussolini and Hitler, as one of the three national leaders who

can speak in the name of solidly regimented masses of his fellow citizens.

It must be said that Stalin offers less ready material to the student of his personality than either Mussolini or Hitler. In striking contrast to the Italian dictator, he is anything but expansive; the interviews which he has granted for publication could be counted on the fingers of one hand, and he never contributes to the foreign press. And one searches in vain through his published writings for such flashes of personal self-revelation as one finds in Hitler's "Mein Kampf."

Stalin, like Lenin and Trotsky, is not an actual name but a revolutionary pseudonym, one of several under which Djughashvili, to call the Communist leader by his real name, went during the years when he was playing hide-and-seek with the Tsar's police. Birth and past activity are both powerful factors in determining personality and if one is searching for the riddle of Stalin's personality the pre-revolutionary period of his life cannot be neglected.

He was born in 1879 in the Georgian town of Gori, on the southern side of the main Caucasus region. It would perhaps not be fanciful to attribute some of Stalin's qualities of character, coolness, steadfastness, taciturnity, to the influence of the vast mountain ranges that loomed up in the distance from his birthplace.

A far stronger influence, no doubt, was the period of almost two decades, during which Stalin led the hunted life of an underground revolutionary. His parents had designed him for the priesthood and sent him to a theological seminary in Tiflis, but he was soon expelled on account of his interest in the forbidden ideas of Marxism. He took up the familiar routine of a revolutionary career at that time; distribution of illegal literature, secret organisation activity among the workers, clandestine conferences, all invariably leading to arrest, banishment to some remote spot in North Russia or Siberia, followed, in turn, by flight from the place of exile and resumption of the revolutionary work.

Stalin was sent into exile six times. Five times he succeeded in running away before his term had expired; only on the occasion of his last arrest was he sent to such a remote place, in the Turukhansk district of Siberia, that he was unable to flee and was enabled to return to Russia by the March Revolutionary in 1917, which overthrew the Tsar.

To return six times to revolutionary activity indicates a considerable store of will power and perseverance; and Stalin's perseverance was still more remarkable during the dark period of the revolutionary movement, after the defeat of the 1905 upheaval, when apathy and disillusionment were the order of the day and the thinning ranks of the revolutionary parties swarmed with provocateurs. Stalin's record during the pre-revolutionary period may be said to have earned for him his pseudonym, which means "steel" in Russian.

Stalin was a Bolshevik from the time when the Russian Social

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"Ah, yes, I remember her. She had golden curls and sat next to us in the sixth grade geography class."

## The Very Jolly

## DUMB-BELLES LE

By Juliet Lowell

No Dead Ones Here

Mr. Chas. Keaton  
Portland, Oregon  
Dear Mr. Keaton:

It is a pleasure to answer

questions.

At this moment, the state of Oklahoma has a

Chamber of Commerce, A. L.

Wheat, Corn and Cotton.

We almost produced enough

wheat and cotton to pay

Government cost last year.

more trifle of \$19,000,000 shy.

We have Indians, Buffaloes,

Boys, a couple of Will Rogers,

a Lieutenant Governor. We

have Lieutenant Governors,

sometimes we have Governors,

they don't usually last long.

Oklahoma offers a broader

rama of natural beauty and

interesting people, than any state

the union. Our population is a

population, in fact, we bury

when they die in these parts.

Trusting you will feel better

formed about our state upon

receipt of this, I am,

Yours very truly,

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Ovid Neal

(signed)

Research Director

P. S. In regard to your last

question, they are threatening to

take our depression away from us.

Where did it go?

To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby certify that Arthur

Lee has been my gardener for over

two years, and during that time

he got more out of my garden than

other man I ever employed.

Mrs. Robert S. B.

(signed)

He got more out of my garden

than any other man I ever

employed.

Aunt Emma.

Dear George,

I have been confined to house

lately through a bad cough which

I got through taking cold showers

every morning same as Sandow did,

only he didn't catch a cold same

as I did.

Now I am confined to house

through colds which I got at

the Fair. It was terrible to see all

the old people trying to look young

and going in for the slide and the

mercy-go-round. Mrs. Higga won

a packet of cigarettes with a shot

showing her grasping nature. I

didn't try it as I was without my

spectacles.

I went down the slide when my

nephew offered to pay for me but

there was a hole in the road which

showed it needed repair.

There were lots of people in the

cars but as far as I could see they

were mostly learner drivers and

not too much of that either.

The Peninsula was full of Scots-

men who had preferred to pay for

the dance and see the Big Free

Act from the Hotel rather than pay

to go into the Fair.

After the Fair I was glad to get

on to our own attractions and after

a trip on the ferry, I took a Peak

tram and "So to bed" as Peepers

hath it.

The tuttoo was very impressive I

thought, but it seemed a pity they

couldn't burn up bits of Wanchai

instead of Moscow. After all Mos-

cow wasn't much to do with us,

was it?

I read that a young fellow has

just married a corpse and really

it just bears out what I said about

the modern generation. What

bothers me is whether he will

be able to get a divorce and if so

on what grounds. Anyway she

couldn't have given her consent to

the wedding so where do they

stand?

Well if I can find a way of get-

ting over these difficulties I may

yet find myself getting a man after

all these years.

Trust your loving

Aunt Emma!

Springtime in Hollywood.

Ay tank ay tof you.

Ay wis you were mine.

Your eyes are so blue.

Your lip so divine.

Zat Cupid, he go

Put me on so spot

But marry you? No—

Ay tank not.

Ay wis ay could say

Zo tings zat ay feel;

Ay tink, every day,

"Zere goes my aydol."

Zo year's at so spring;

Ay tof you a lot.

But make you my kag?

Ay tank not.



CALIFORNIA  
RUGGLE

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The death of Governor Merriam was a blow to the majority of the people of California, who were expecting to see him in the office for a long time. The death of Governor Merriam was a blow to the majority of the people of California, who were expecting to see him in the office for a long time. The death of Governor Merriam was a blow to the majority of the people of California, who were expecting to see him in the office for a long time.

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## CHINESE GOODS

STRIKING DISPLAY AT  
SINCERE'S

A striking exhibition of Chinese goods is now being displayed at the fifth floor of Sincere Company's premises. This is the most attractive exhibition of its kind held in Hongkong, so far as the art of display is concerned. The Sincere Company's advertising and display department is responsible for the arrangement, and the majority of the artistic stands were designed and made by them. The work reveals how things can be advantageously displayed in a limited space; many of the stands are original and clever designs. Not only are the displays interesting, but the exhibits themselves are most striking. Besides the celebrated Chinese tea, silk and embroidery, there are many goods which few people know as well as by Chinese, such as handkerchiefs, pencils, paints, bakelite ware, enamelware, toilet articles and rubber shoes. In all, there are products of 50 factories from Hongkong, Canton, Macao, Shanghai, Poochow and Hangchow.

Local manufacturers participating include the National Lacquer & Paint Products Co., Welling Handkerchiefs Mfg. Co., China Can Co., The World Pencil Co., Sincere Co. (Perfumery Mfrs.), Ltd., Castle Peak Ceramic Co., M. P. San & Co., On Lok Yuen and Wing Hsueh Mills.

The exhibition is open daily from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for free inspection. It will close on the 10th instant.

Members of St. Andrew's Society attending the annual Ball are requested to return their subscription lists to the Joint Hon. Secretaries as early as possible.

## ISAKO CIRCUS

STILL DRAWING BIG  
AUDIENCES

Isako's Russian Circus, which since transfer across the harbour, has gone to a new location at Johnstone Road, near Causeway Bay, is proving a tremendous draw. Several thousands were in the big tent on Saturday, when a new programme was opened.

Juggling and balancing feats were of a high order, and these well deserved the previous notices given; but it is in the animal performances that the Circus excels. The docility with which these dumb performers, whether elephants or ponies, lend themselves to every command of the trainers, has impressed all those who have visited the Circus.

The flying trapeze artists give a quite thrilling act; while another performance, with a character of its own, is the appearance of a troupe of Cossacks, hardy horsemen of the Russian steppes, who contrive within the space of a quarter of an hour, to optimize much of what is already known of them. If to see them in action, alone, the Circus is well worth a visit.

## WATER COLOURS

FALL EXHIBITION  
AT KOMOR'S

An opportunity to acquire art knowledge and see beautiful Japanese water colours is given by Messrs. Komor & Komor, who are again holding their Fall Exhibition of water colours by Japan's foremost artists.

Paintings by Tominari, Kobayashi, Bunson, Yoshida, etc., and one new man "Kelsen" are known to the world over. Every subject is represented and the beauty of the East is shown in colours vivid but still natural. Prices are exceedingly reasonable. A craving for beauty in the home can be satisfied from \$2 upwards. Scenes of the sea, mountains, figures, birds and trees give a large variety to select from.

The Exhibition will be open for ten days only and all are welcome from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Komor & Komor's Art Galleries in York Buildings.

FINE SEND-OFF  
FOR "EAGLE"AIRCRAFT CARRIER  
LEAVES

The aircraft carrier H.M.S. Eagle, left this morning for Singapore, to the accompaniment of music and cheers from their own band and the crews of other warships in harbour.

Long after the great ship had steamed out of harbour several of her aeroplanes flew round the island before setting off after the carrier.

H.M.S. Eagle is proceeding home eventually and will be replaced by H.M.S. Hermes which will probably arrive in December.

H.M.S. Grimsby is expected here soon to replace H.M.S. Cormflower and another naval tug will be available with the arrival of the Barnet.

COLLISION IN THE  
HARBOURFERRY-BOAT SINKS  
SAMPAH

As the Mongkok ferry steamer San Tak was proceeding across the harbour from the main land at last night, it collided with a sampah which was allegedly showing no lights, and sank it.

The three occupants of the sampah were rescued by the launch, one of them a woman named Wong Sing, being later taken to hospital suffering from the effects of the experience.

## SHANGHAI ACCIDENT.

BRITISH LADY CRITICALLY  
INJURED IN COLLISION

Shanghai, Nov. 4. Mrs. Nellie Brook, a British resident of Shanghai, aged 41 years, was seriously injured yesterday morning in a traffic accident.

Mrs. Brook was proceeding along Great Western Road in a public ricksha, when a British military truck collided with her vehicle.

She was immediately conveyed to hospital, where she now lies in a critical condition, suffering from a fracture of the base of the skull and internal injuries.



During aerial manoeuvres in Barcelona recently, a plane crashed in one of the streets, the pilot and his assistant being injured.

## NATIONAL GIFT

ROYAL WEDDING PRESENT  
FOR POOR CHILDREN

London, Nov. 3. The Duke of Kent and Princess Marina have decided that the wedding gift from the people of the nation shall be used for providing a Christmas treat for needy children, and for the provision of holidays for convalescent sick children of the unemployed.

The gift is being arranged by a committee of nine people who have "George" as their Christian name. They include George Ferguson, the High Commissioner for Canada, George Lansbury, leader of the Parliamentary Labour Party, George Arliss, the famous cinema actor, George Drummond, the celebrated banker, the Duke of Sutherland (George Granville Sutherland-Leveson-Gower) and other "Georges" prominent in different walks of life.

The Committee, in a letter to the public, state that although the Royal Dukedom was recently conferred upon him, it is as Prince George that the bridegroom is generally known, and they feel that the nation's sentiments of respect and admiration, to be expressed by this wedding gift to the Royal couple, should be organized by "George" throughout the country.

Wedding this Month. The wedding will take place nine days after the State opening of Parliament by the King (November 20) so London will have two State processions in less than a fortnight.

The date is the day before Princess Marina's birthday, according to the old Greek calendar, but this is 13 days behind the present day calendar, so that her actual birthday falls on December 13.

The last Royal wedding in Westminster Abbey was on April 26, 1923, when the Duke of York, the King's second son, married Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. On February 28 of the previous year Princess Mary, now the Princess Royal, their Majesties' only daughter, was married to the sixth Earl of Harewood (then Viscount Lascelles) in the Abbey. *British Wireless and Special.*

## HIS OLD LOVE

HOLLYWOOD BECKONS TO  
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS

Hollywood, Nov. 4. Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., who became enthusiastic regarding British films when he previewed "The Private Life of Henry the Eighth," and soon afterwards became substantially interested in a British production company, has recanted.

He announced to-day that he has sold all his shares in London Films and has cancelled his starring contract with Alexander Korda, who made "Private Life of Henry."

Fairbanks announced that in future he intended to concentrate on Hollywood.

He recently returned to the United States from England, after starring in "Private Life of Don Juan," which was directed by Alexander Korda. *United Press.*

No Reconciliation. Hollywood, Nov. 4. Mary Pickford declares that a statement, attributed to her that she and Douglas Fairbanks were about to be reconciled, was without foundation.

An interview she gave this morning was brief and to the point. "Is it true that you and your husband will be reconciled?" she was asked.

"No!" she replied, and refused to discuss the matter any further. *Reuter Special.*

Rumours have been persistent lately that Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford were about to be reconciled. The Hollywood couple have been together frequently since Fairbanks returned from London.

Douglas Fairbanks is scheduled to visit Hongkong in January on his fourth tour of the Orient.

STALIN IS RUSSIA'S  
MAN OF STEEL

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Democratic Party split into Bolshevik and Menshevik wings in 1933. His official biographical sketch describes him as "Lenin's most orthodox disciple." Unlike his great enemy whom he finally destroyed politically, Leon Trotsky, he engaged in no pre-revolutionary polemics on theoretical questions with Lenin.

There can be little doubt that many traits of Stalin's character were formed during the many years which were divided between underground activity and periods of exile. In this experience there was small scope for speechmaking, debating and voting. There was always the need for conspiracy, for obedience to orders, for a very watchful appraisal of every new recruit to the party. A favourite device of the police was to employ provocateurs in order to learn the secrets of the revolutionary groups and catch their leaders. A saying much in vogue during the last years of Lenin's life was: "Lenin trusts Stalin; Stalin trusts no one"; and the leader of the Communist Party certainly makes the impression of a man who keeps his own counsel and does not give his confidence readily to anyone.

Since forbids a detailed description of the various stages by which Stalin rose to supreme power in the Communist councils of the way in which he, in alliance with Zinoviev and Kamenev, undermined and politically destroyed Trotsky, of his subsequent triumph over his associates, Zinoviev and Kamenev, of the latest and final stage of his political triumph; the elimination from influential rank of the former Premier, A. I. Rykov; the former head of the Soviet trade unions, Mikhail Tomsky, and the former editor of the Communist newspaper, *Pravda*, Nikolai Bukharin. Of greater immediate interest is Stalin's own platform, the goals which he pursues.

He is a worshipper at the shrine of mechanical efficiency; and he has not hesitated to apply methods of wartime ruthlessness to drive the country along the road of industrial development and to break the resistance of the peasantry to collective farms, operated under the close supervision of the state.

"When we put the worker on the automobile and the peasant on the tractor we shall see which countries are considered advanced and which are backward," he boasted on one occasion. And his few public pronouncements are filled with exhortations to "master technique" to overcome Russia's traditional technical backwardness. Behind Stalin's fierce yearning to see Russia industrialised are rapidly the belief that Socialism itself depends on a big framework of modern industry and the conviction that the Soviet Union will only be able to win the war which Communist dogma regards as ultimately inevitable if industrialisation has created the sinews of military preparedness.

## MANCHUKUO MISSION.

NO POLITICAL UTTERANCES  
DURING BRITISH TOUR

Shanghai, Nov. 3.

Mr. Julian Piggot, Secretary of the Federation of British Industries' Mission, told *Reuter*, prior to his departure for England, that he was able to state definitely that at no time, either in Japan or the three eastern provinces, did the Chairman, Lord Bannatyne, make a single political utterance. He neither mentioned recognition of Manchukuo nor the revival of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

Any reports to the contrary were absolutely false, Mr. Piggot added. *Reuter.*

RADIO  
BROADCASTRelay of the South Wales  
Borderers' Band.

## Z.E.K. PROGRAMME.

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles). 7-8 p.m. European Programme. 8-9 p.m. (Approx.) A Relay of the Band of the 1st BATT: South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster C. Eldicot, A.R.C.M., from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of Lieut. Colonel H.E. Williams, D.S.O., M.C.

6-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7-05-7-10 p.m. Concert Items. Violin Solo—En Bateau (Boating) (Debussy).

Violin Solo—La Fille Aux Cheveux de Lin (The Maiden with Flaxen Hair) (Debussy).

Song—Annie Laurie. Fritz Kreisler.

Song—Afton Water (Robert Burns). Mary Garden (Soprano).

Pianoforte Solo—Paganini Etude in E Flat Major (Paganini—Liszt).

Pianoforte Solo—Children's Corner Suite (Debussy)—Serenade for the Doll.

Vladimir Horowitz.

Song—The Lute Player (Allgren).

Song—The Floral Dance (Moss). Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Cello Solo—Mazurka, Op. 11, No. 3. (Poppo).

7-40-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Talk on "The Journey Home via Siberia" by Miss P. W. Brown.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8-05-10-30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

9-30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10-30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Mid-day Press News, etc. Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations.

10-40 p.m. Close Down.

All Relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestra are by courtesy of the Management.

## Z.E.K. PROGRAMME.

European recorded programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 k.c.s. 8-30-8-55 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

Invitation to the Waltz (Weber, Op. 65).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss).

Bruno Walter and Symphony Orchestra.

The Skaters—Waltz (Waldteufel).

Estudiantina—Waltz (Waldteufel).

International Concert Orchestra.

8-55-9-30 p.m. Variety Programme.

Organ Solo—It was so Beautiful.

Organ Solo—The Clouds will soon roll by.

Quentin M. Macleod.

Song—Why don't they leave me alone? Song—I was in the Mood.

Hildegarde (Soprano).

Piano Solo—Piano Pie (No. 2).

Song—The Very Thought of You.

Song—A Place in your Heart.

Sam Caslow (Tenor).

Vocal—Musical Comedy Marches.

Light Opera Company.

9-30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9-35-10 p.m. Band Music.

Ruy Blas Overture (Mendelssohn).

Tancred Overture (Rossini).

The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

Carmen Caprice (Bizet)—arr. Debroy Somers.

Faust, Prologue (Gounod)—arr. Debroy Somers.

Debroy Somers Band.

Hyde Park Suite (Jalowiec).

Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

1. Sunday Morning Church Parade.

2. Rotten Row.

3. On the Serpentine.

4. Around the Bandstand.

10 p.m. Close Down.

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# KEEN STRUGGLE FOR LEADERSHIP OF LEAGUES

## MELBOURNE ROWING

### LONDON CLUB EIGHT'S SUCCESS

Melbourne, Nov. 4. The Duke of Gloucester was the magnet that drew nearly half a million people to the banks of the River Yarra yesterday afternoon, when the annual Henley-on-the-Yarra, the Victorian counterpart of Henley-on-the-Thames, was held in glorious Spring sunshine.

The river carnival, which was held on a much grander scale than hitherto, owing to the Melbourne Centenary celebrations, witnessed some exciting aquatic and rowing events.

The London Rowing Club's eight, which came from England specially for the occasion, defeated the New Zealand eight in the final for the Grand Challenge Cup, the British team winning by four lengths in 4 minutes 37 seconds, which is only one second outside the record for the course.—*Reuter*.



Cord, the Kowloon goalie, coming out to save a high shot in the game against South China "B" on Saturday. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

## League Cricket

### A. P. Pereira Skittles Army Wickets

The Club de Recreio made an impressive debut in the First Division of the Cricket League, when they engaged the Army eleven at King's Park on Saturday, and although they lost by 14 runs they gave the Army a fright.

The strong military eleven were dismissed for only 33 runs. A. P. Pereira, the Recreio fast bowler, claiming six wickets for 23. It was an exceedingly fine performance for his first League match in the Senior Division, and among his victims were Lt. J. P. Williams, Lt. Garthwaite, Capt. D. B. Mitchell, Capt. Walter and Corporal Collyer.

The Recreio batting, however, collapsed before some steady bowling, and they were dismissed for 60 runs. Elvin, the Army slow left-hander, was most successful with the ball, taking four wickets for 21 runs, while Tucker captured three for 16.

Leading performers were:

**BATTING.**  
77—S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
73—H. F. Westlake (C.S.C.C.) v Royal Navy.  
65—A. S. Saffell (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
65—R. H. Griffith (C.S.C.C.) v Royal Navy.  
48—Capt. Cutler (Royal Navy) v C.C.C.  
44—Wateridge (R.E.) v Police.  
38—L. D. Kilbee (H.K.C.C. Single) v Married.  
35—Atzal (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
35—W. Meadows (Police) v R.E.  
35—J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.) v I.R.C.  
35—A. H. Rumjahn (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
32—Snook (R.A.M.C.) v Univer.

## RUGBY AT HOME

### EAST MIDLANDS BEAT LEICESTERSHIRE

London, Nov. 3. East Midlands, County Rugby Champions, won against Leicestershire at Carlisle this afternoon by 23 points to 15. Yorkshire, Lancashire and North Midlands were also victorious in their engagements.

The full results of the principal matches played to-day follow:  
County Championship.  
Cumberland 0 Yorkshire 15  
(At Carlisle)  
East Midlands 22 Leicestershire 15  
(At Bedford)  
Lancashire 10 Cheshire 8  
(At Blundellsands)  
North Midlands 22 Nottingham 11  
(At Derby)

**Club Fixtures.**  
Blackheath 0 Swansea 0  
Bradford 13 Edinburgh A. 21  
Cambridge U. 33 London Seat. 18  
Gloucester 24 Old Granthamians 8  
Guy's Hosp. 11 Aberavon 6  
Hull 11 Bristol 11  
Leicester 9 Moseley 8  
London Welsh 10 Warrington 10  
Nuneaton 6 Northampton 10  
Plymouth 28 Exeter 10  
Richmond 13 Oxford U. 9  
Rugby P. 39 Old Millhillians 3  
Preston 16 Bath 10  
Coventry 29 Aldershot S. 10  
Ipswich 12 Cardiff 12  
Newport 8 Nant 12  
Torquay 13 Devonport S. 12  
Hertfordians 12 Lamsdowne 3  
Watsonians 3 Glasgow Acad. 3  
Welsh International Trial.  
Probables 35 Possibles 4  
(At Bridgend). —*Reuter*.

## STRONG CHALLENGE BY THE CLUB

### SOUTH CHINA "A" HOLDING SLIGHT ADVANTAGE

### WEEK-END MATCHES

A three-clear goal victory over St. Joseph's yesterday placed South China "A" on a level point footing with that club's "B" team but with a game in hand. South China "A" have yet to lose a point while the "B" team have two draws chalked up against them in their analysis.

The Borderers, despite the fact that they lost the services of two of their players through injury during their game with the Police, forced a draw.

The Lincolns and the R. A. are still struggling for supremacy in the Second Division, each holding an unbeaten record to-date. During the week-end both teams recorded wins against Kowloon and the Club respectively.

The Royal Navy, by defeating the Club de Recreio by four goals to two on Saturday, won their first match of the season in the Senior Division.

The Club look like becoming strong challengers to South China "B" for leadership in the premier soccer league, judging by their present form.

They have a very useful side, this year and in six games have not returned to their Clubhouse to chalk up a defeat. They have won three matches and drawn three.

On Saturday, on the military ground at Happy Valley, the Club met the Royal Artillery seniors and won by two goals to nil.

Albert Howe scored both goals, but the Club centre-forward who heads the senior division list of goal-scorers, did not have matters his own way. Howe was hounded by the soldiers' defence.

**DISORGANISED FORWARDS.**  
A disorganised forward line handicapped the Artillery tremendously. Nash being unable to turn out at the eleventh hour, Leach, who had just finished playing a second division game was brought in, but despite this weakness, the military team were on the offensive for the majority of the game.

Their forwards, however, lacked sting when in front of goal and in this way many glorious opportunities of finding the net went amiss. From the initial kick-off, the Artillery rushed the civilians' goal, and George Rodger was called on to save a hot shot from Pardoe.

The first goal of the match came when Howe, dribbling past two of the Artillery defenders, scored with a magnificent shot in the bottom right hand corner of the net. The second goal was scored in the early stages of the second period of the game. St. Joseph's sent in a terrific shot which struck the upright and rebounded into the goal. Howe got his head to the ball and sent it past Durham into the net.

The Club's goal, however, underwent heavy attacks, Rodger having to give of his best in his clearances. A shot from Smith, the Interport custodian punched over the bar, while Pardoe sent in a hard shot from near the penalty kick spot, but Rodger's safe hands were there.

A good exhibition of football was given up in the game between the South China "A" and St. Joseph's at Caroline Hill yesterday. South China winning the toss, had the sun behind them during the greater part of the game, but did not have matters all their own way for the Saints put up a strong resistance in the first half of the game, no scores resulting.

South China's superiority in the second half was responsible for the final result of a three-nil victory in their favour.

From the start the home team began to apply pressure and Fung King-cheung put one over the bar, and in a subsequent melee David Leonard was accidentally kicked in the eye by Lau Chung-kwan. Fernandez took the ball through, but Li Tin-sang taking matters easily cleared.

Exchanges then sent the ball to mid-field where a movement from Leung In-chun put Fung King-cheung in possession of the ball, to send a pot shot over the bar.

A free kick against the Saints was of no avail, Costa clearing smartly. Then from a combined movement from the Saints half-back line Aras rushed through too quickly and kicked wide. Play was transferred to the other end where Tam took a pot-shot from 25 yards out which Wong Lim cleared not too confidently.

The Saints were then sending some beautiful passes to the forwards and from a scramble Aras narrowly missed, Wong Ming clearing. From throw-in the ball was passed to the goal mouth and cleared by Leonard who up to then was impenetrable.

**HAPHAZARD KICKING.**  
Tao Kwai-shing later took possession of the ball and lost it through



H.E. the Governor leading in Nell Gwynn after the Nullah Nullah Plate at Saturday's Race Meeting. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

## RUGBY

### CLUB SENIORS BEAT NAVY AGAIN

### FERGUSON INJURED

The Club playing with only fourteen men for the greater part of the game, gained a very creditable win in their friendly match with the Navy at Happy Valley on Saturday, scoring a goal and a try (8 points) to a try (3 points).

In an earlier game this season the club won by 16 points to 13.

J. J. Ferguson was injured shortly before the interval and had to leave the field with a strained tendon, but not before he had contributed a very good try to the Club's score. Munro went back to fill the vacancy in the three-quarter line, and was responsible for breaking up many movements by the Navy "three" in the closing stages of the game.

Bradford, Garrod and Miller were the pick of the Club pack while all the three-quarters played well. Lammet, at back, played an excellent game and relieved dangerous situations with some good touch-kicking.

Of the Navy side, Christian Smith, at full back, and Franks and Marsh, three quarters were the pick of the defence, while Hinchcliffe, Sowden Evans and Gardner were outstanding among the forwards.

Ferguson opened the scoring soon after the start, a try which Robertson majorised. In the second half Meeke increased the Club's lead when he crossed over in the corner, and just on time Howell Davies grounded after a neat movement which originated near the touchline half way down the field.

**CLUB "A" TRUNCED.**  
The Navy "A" XV did a great deal of scoring in their encounter with the Club juniors to win by five goals, one penalty goal, one try (31 points) to one goal, one penalty goal, one try (11 points).

Wallace scored the first try which Davidson converted and shortly afterwards Pack-Bersford went over for Mid. Poulton to add the extras. Before half-time Poulton converted a try by Matthews.

The Club improved after the interval and Cummings scored for Castleton to majorise. Castleton landed a beautiful penalty goal before the Navy increased their score with tries by Warren and Wallace which were converted by Poulton. Play fluctuated and Smith added a try to the Club's score. Before the end Warren landed a penalty goal for the Navy and also went over wide of the posts for an unconverted try.

**League Tables.**  
Goals  
P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
South China "B" 6 4 2 0 17 8 10  
South China "A" 5 5 0 0 16 4 10  
Hong Kong F.C. 6 3 3 0 14 8 9  
S.W. Borderers 5 2 2 1 14 10 6  
East Lancashire 5 1 3 1 10 8 5  
Chinese Ath. 4 1 2 1 11 11 4  
Hong Kong Police 5 1 3 1 11 11 5  
Lincoln Regt. 4 1 1 2 6 9 3  
Kowloon F.C. 5 1 1 3 8 13 3  
R.A. 5 1 1 3 9 20 3  
R. Navy 4 1 1 2 4 8 3  
Club de Rec. 5 0 2 3 7 15 2  
St. Joseph's F.C. 5 0 1 4 5 14 1

**Division II.**  
Goals  
P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
China Ath. 2 S. China 0  
E. Lancs. 8 Eastern Ath. 1  
Lincoln Regt. 5 Kowloon F.C. 1  
R.A. 4 Hongkong F.C. 1  
University F.C. 4 Young Indians 2  
R. Navy 4 S.W. Borderers 2

**Division III.**  
Goals  
P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
R. A. F. 4 R. A. S. C. 0  
Lincoln Regt. 5 Railway Rec. Cl. 1  
R.E. 3 Hongkong Police 0  
S.W. Borderers 3 Club de Rec. 2  
R.A.O.C. 3 R.A.M.C. 1  
East Lancashire 2 Radio S.C. 1

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Goals  
P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
R. A. F. 6 5 1 0 18 3 11  
East Lancashire 5 5 0 1 12 7 10  
S.W. Borderers 6 5 0 1 23 11 10  
R.A.S.C. 6 4 0 2 18 18 8  
Lincoln Regt. 5 3 1 1 15 8 7  
Radio S.C. 6 3 0 3 12 10 6  
R.A.M.C. 6 3 0 3 12 14 6  
Club de Rec. 5 1 0 4 11 18 2  
Hong Kong Police 6 1 0 5 19 22 2  
R.E. 6 1 0 5 22 22 2  
R.A.O.C. 5 1 0 4 5 20 2  
Railway Rec. 6 1 0 4 4 20 2  
Club 6 1 0 4 4 20 2

## LOCAL HOCKEY

### CAER CLARK CUP GAMES

The Hongkong Ladies, champions in the Caer Clark Cup hockey competition, were on Saturday defeated by the Central British Association Ladies by one goal to nil, after a well-contested game at King's Park. Miss E. Woolley, the centre forward, scored for the winners in the second half. The match produced some spirited hockey, the winners assuming the aggressive from the start. The Hongkong Ladies, however, held out, and the first half closed with no scores.

Miss E. M. Gray and Miss R. Smalley, the Hongkong Ladies' full backs, and Miss B. Hebling, the left half, were particularly outstanding in the defence, and but for their efforts, the score would have been greater. The Central British Association Ladies' forward line combined better than that of their opponents, and were always a source of danger. Miss Hunt specially deserves praise for her fine work on the left wing.

**A GOALLESS DRAW.**

The meeting between the Club de Recreio Ladies and the "Y" Ladies at King's Park resulted in a goalless draw after an interesting match. The Recreio Ladies were lucky to escape defeat, being practically the whole of the game were on the defensive.

The "Y" Ladies attacked frequently, but could not pierce the Recreio defence. Miss G. Roza, the Recreio goal-keeper, was brilliant and on many occasions saved her side.

**ST. ANDREW'S LADIES WIN.**

The St. Andrew's Ladies gained a convincing victory over the Central British Schoolgirls by five goals to nil on the Marina ground. Miss M. Woolley netted three goals, two of which were in the first half, while Miss P. Gittins scored two in the second half.

The Schoolgirls showed up very well in the game, but they lacked unity, and all their attacks on the St. Andrew's defence were broken up by a steady half line.

**MAMAK MATCH.**

H.M.S. Whitehall in their third game out of four met the United Hockey Club in a Mamak hockey match at the Police Training School ground on Saturday. The match resulted in a draw, no goals being scored.

At the start the United launched an attack, but this ended through an infringement of the offside rule. From this early check both sides adopted the one back game and many attacks were thus easily repulsed.

Exchanges were fast owing to the hard ground, and Davies went close with a shot which struck the upright. It seemed apparent that the second set of posts were confusing the naval players. Despite repeated corners conceded by the United the naval players never looked like scoring, and the half time whistle ended with no goals scored.

Determination marked the opening of the second half, with Whitehall continually pressing, but the forwards failed to turn to advantage the splendid work of their half backs. In the closing stages the United made another attempt to secure the points, but Whitehall's defence rose to the occasion and quelled the attack.

**FRIENDLIES.**

The Club de Recreio met the "Incognitos" in a friendly hockey match at the Marina ground yesterday. The game resulted in a draw, one goal being scored by each side. No scoring occurred in the first half, but in the second J. M. Pinto netted for the "Incognitos" while H. A. Alves scored for the Recreio.

**RADIO WIN.**

The Radio Sports Club "Cosmo" hockey team defeated H.M.S. Wild

## SOCCER CHATTER

BY defeating the R.A. on Saturday the Club have placed themselves within striking distance of the South China teams which are at the head of the table.

**SOUTH CHINA "A" and "B" teams** are leading the Senior Division with the same number of points.

**THE Navy** recorded their first win in the Senior Division after a thrilling game with the Club de Recreio.

**THE Lincolns**, by virtue of their win on Saturday, moved up to the top of the Second Division table.

**FUNG King-cheung** and Tam Kwong-pak's combination proved to be true to reputation.

**ARAS**, St. Joseph's new find from Malaya was not up to expectation, being weak both in distribution and tackling.

**SOUSA** and Leonard combined splendidly and not until the second half could the Chinese attack get past them.

**WITH** the exception of the blunder he made in pushing the ball into his own goal Wong Lim acquitted himself before the attack of South China.

**COSTA**, centre-half of the Saints, was always on the right spot, intercepting well timed passes, and feeding the Saints forwards.

**TAY** Qual-long's absence was noticeable, his substitute Lau Chung-kwan needing more polish and speed.

**J. W. Pote-Hunt**, in the pivotal position for the Club, played a very hard game, swinging the ball with precision.

**RUPERT Baldwin**, on the left wing, was inclined to be slow, but E. Strange at inside-left was responsible for some clever play. He had hard luck not to lay his claim to the second goal.

**SID Strange** and Gamble, the Club backs, were steady but G. Rodger, the goalkeeper, was the most outstanding player in the civilians' defence. Time and again, he brought off magnificent saves with shots that looked like certain goals.

**PARDOE**, the Interporter, played good football in the pivotal position for the Artillery. His tackling was neat and he fed his forwards with well-placed passes. He was the pick of the team.

**THE full backs**, Wroes and Clancy, rose to the occasion and repulsed the Club's attacks.

**IN** goal for the Artillery, Durham also brought off some spectacular saves.

Swan by one goal to nil in a friendly encounter at Caroline Hill on Saturday.

Surgin Singh scored for the winners in the first half.

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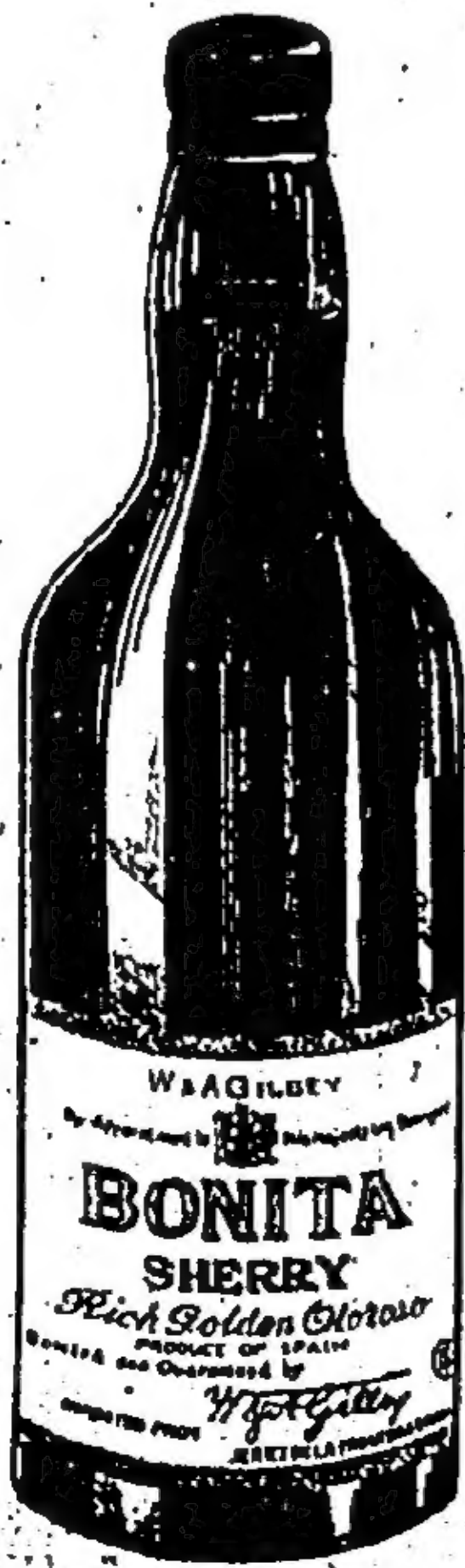
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## Local Race Results

## ELECTRIC STAR'S WIN

The following are the results of Saturday's Race meeting—

1. Sussex Handicap—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies. Subscription of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time.

Six Furlongs.  
236 Li & Co's Delightful Chance 152 lb. (F. P. Li) 1  
162 lb. (C. Taylor) 2  
235 H.S.Y.'s Chesterfield 156 lb. (C. Taylor) 3  
238 Li Po Chun's In Good Time 158 lb. (Choy Wing Chiu) 4  
Time: 1:34.1.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$42.50; places \$8.50; \$5.20; \$3.13.

2. Nuliah Nuliah Plate—Six Furlongs.  
247 Pau's Saucy Face 152 lb. (Ip Kuei Ying) 1  
245 Mrs. Stanton's Nuliah 152 lb. (N. Deltz) 2  
246 H.E. Sir William Peel's Nell Gwyn 155 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 3  
Won by a neck; a head.  
Time: 1:19.3 (record).  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$27.40; places \$7.70; \$4.00; \$2.70.

3. Hongkong Griffins Cup—One and a Quarter Miles.  
219 Kong's Electric Star 161 lb. (S. N. Pan) 1  
250 H.E. Sir William Peel's Nell Gwyn 155 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 2  
253 Li Shiu Pan's Soldier of China 161 lb. (S. N. Pan) 3  
Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:32.4.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$8.60; places \$6.10; \$3.50; \$2.00.

4. Kent Handicap—Seven Furlongs.  
267 Lester & Abraham's The Tiger 162 lb. (E. O. Butler) 1  
264 Li & Co's Racing Boy 157 lb. (N. Deltz) 2  
269 L. E. Wyndham 161 lb. (A. L. Caplan) 3  
Won by 2 lengths; half a length.  
Time: 1:46.3.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$10.30; places \$7.00; \$3.00; \$1.70.

5. Suffolk Handicap—(Second Section)—One Mile.  
272 L. Reddy's Chivalrous 155 lb. (Y. T. Fung) 1  
273 L. Reddy's Chivalrous 155 lb. (Y. T. Fung) 2  
274 W. H. Warrington 168 lb. (A. J. P. Heard) 3  
277 H. Y. Liang's Iron Grey 159 lb. (Deltz) 4  
Won by: dead heat; short head.  
Time: 2:07.4.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$28.40 (Warrington); \$10.40 (Chivalrous); places \$16.10 (Warrington); \$11; \$9.80.

6. Surrey Handicap—(About One Mile 171 Yards).  
289 L. Dunbar's Glencoe 150 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 1  
291 Dunbar's King's Bounty 155 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 2  
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293 L. Dunbar's Glencoe 150 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 4  
Won by: 3 lengths; dead heat.  
Time: 2:11.2.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$13.40; places \$6.80; \$3.00; (King's Bounty); \$7.10 (Glencoe); \$4.00.

7. Suffolk Handicap—One Mile.  
311 Tally Ho's West Parade 154 lb. (A. J. P. Heard) 1  
303 L. Dunbar's Glencoe 150 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 2  
307 Mrs. Dunbar's Chief Seattle 161 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 3  
Won by: a neck; a neck.  
Time: 2:05.5.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$16.70; places \$8.60; \$4.00; \$16.20.

8. Balaclava Handicap—(About One Mile 171 Yards).  
314 H. S. Chan's Australian Boy 150 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 1  
315 Dr. S. M. Chan's Empire Day 150 lb. (B. A. Proulx) 2  
316 S. L. K. S. Glorious Star 149 lb. (E. O. Butler) 3  
Won by: 4 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:06.1.  
Parl-mutuel: Winner \$6.80; places \$5.50; \$3.00; \$4.00.

9. Daily Double Results.  
The combination of The Tiger and West Parade was 274 backers \$27.00 in the "daily double".  
First Leg:  
Beta (1), Bister (30), Daylight Eve (28), Flying Tourist (134), Jungle Jim (28), King's Worthy (7), Lemberg (65), Monoplane (71), Pride of Tsingtau (10), Racing Boy (331), Racer Luck (7), Spinnaway (85), The Tiger (274), Valorous (81), Wayward Star (64), and Zezo (37).

Second Leg:  
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## HOME FOOTBALL

## ARSENAL AGAIN AT THE TOP

## BEAT EVERTON

Not for long did the Woolwich Arsenal surrender the top position of the First Division of the English Football League, for on Saturday they returned to their former place through the defeat of Stoke City at Victoria Ground by Sunderland. The Londoners, who were hosts to Everton, won by two clear goals, thus maintaining their hundred per cent home record for the present season.

## FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal	2	Everton	0
Birmingham	2	Leicester	3
Blackburn	2	Grimaby	2
Leeds	5	Chelsea	1
Liverpool	2	Wolves	1
Manchester C.	3	Tottenham	3
Middlesbrough	3	Preston N. E.	0
Nottingham	3	Huddersfield	0
Wednesday	1	Derby	0
Stoke	0	Sunderland	2
West Brom.	2	Aston Villa	2

## SECOND DIVISION.

Blackpool	1	Manchester U.	2
Bradford	0	Notts County	0
Brentford	1	Bolton	0
Bury	2	Swansea	3
Fulham	3	Southampton	1
Hull	1	Burnley	1
Newcastle	4	Barnsley	1
Norwich	3	Sheffield U.	1
Notts Forest	4	Oldham	0
Plymouth	3	Bradford C.	0
West Ham	3	Port Vale	1

## THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Bournemouth	1	Luton	3
Bristol C.	0	Crystal Pal.	0
Bristol O.	0	Swindon	0
Coventry	6	Torquay	0
Exeter	3	Charlton	1
Gillingham	1	Aldershot	1
Millwall	2	Queen's P. R.	0
Newport	1	Bristol R.	1
Northampton	4	Brighton	1
Reading	1	Cardiff	1
Watford	3	Southend	1

## THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Barnsley	2	Hartlepool	0
Carlisle	1	Crowley	0
Chesterfield	3	Southport	3
Hull	5	York	0
Lincoln	5	Gateshead	0
Mansfield	2	Doncaster	0
Rotherham	1	New Brighton	2
Rochdale	0	Stockport	2
Tranmere	2	Abercrombie	1
Walsall	1	Chester	1
Wrexham	4	Darlington	0

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE (FIRST DIVISION).

Aberdeen	2	Clyde	1
Dundee	1	Motherwell	0
Falkirk	2	Greenock	0
Hamilton	4	Dunfermline	0
Hibernians	4	Albion	0
Kilmarnock	3	Partick	0
Queen's Park	3	Queen's Park	0
Rangers	1	Hearts	1
St. Mirren	0	St. Johnstone	1
	0	Dundee	0

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE (SECOND DIVISION).

Alton	2	St. Bernard's	2
Dreghin	2	East Fife	0
Dundee U.	3	Arbroath	1
King's Park	3	Dumfries	2
Leith	3	Stenmuir	1
Montrose	2	Forfar	1
Rath Rovers	2	Cowdenbeath	2
Third Lanark	2	Morton	2

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The entries officially closed last week, and although the inability of the Jockey Club to take part, and the silence of the Engineers' Institute and St. John's Cathedral Club have been disappointments, two pleasant surprises were given by the Chinese Recreation Club and the Police Recreation Club, who at the last minute indicated their desire to join the Association and to participate in its activities.

The C.R.C., of course, have benefited by the withdrawal of the Jockey Club, and are absorbing their players including S. W. Liang and F. H. Kwok. It is also probable that W. C. Choy will also line up with his old Jockey Club colleagues.

The Police have made provisional entry, but the keenness is there, and the Inspector General of Police has already given his warm approval. They have a court erected in the gymnasium at Central Headquarters, which the Fire Brigade Club will be sharing with them.

RECREO'S SIX TEAMS.  
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(A. F. Crawford)		
Jade	16.25.17 1/2	10
(Lieut. R. B. Williams)		
Blue Jacket	16.22.13	12
(Capt. C. T. Ingle)		
Robson	16.18.11 1/2	1
(Capt. H. Marshall)		
Wedgion	16.25.44 1/2	17
(Templemorris)		
Adarag	16.21.18	10
(Major Kennedy)		
Zephyr	16.22.22	13
(Major Wynn)		
Alban	D. N. F.	
(Quinlan)		
Toyette	16.17.14	1
(Capt. W. J. Fennell)		
Joan	16.10.59	7
(F. Pope)		
Sirius	16.20.36 1/2	9
(H. M. Finley)		
Lola	16.21.19 1/2	11
(Lieut. P. G. Parker)		

## YESTERDAY'S RACES.

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club yesterday held the Cruisers' Handicap and "A" Class contests. Cherub, piloted by Mr. V. Gouborn, won the Cruisers' race, while Major Griffiths at the tiller of the Wasp II brought his boat home first in the race for "A" Class boats.

The following are the results:

Cruisers Race.		
Yacht II. Cap. Blasted Pos'n		
Azuma	18.51	6.44.01
(Mr. H. J. Pearce)		
La Cigale	Scratch	6.34.40
(Mr. Croucher)		
Typhoon	53.06	7.48.20
(Major G. G. Fowkes)		
Carlton	53.59	7.53.19
(Major Drennan)		
Tern	54.57	8.04.55
(Capt. Duchene)		
Wanderer	10.44	7.09.01
(C. C. Blake and H. F. Phillips)		
Monsoon	52.31	7.48.19
(R. Griev)		
Sea Lark	18.23	8.02.40
(Mr. E. Cock)		
Cherub	13.30	7.28.15
(Mr. V. Gouborn)		
Penguin	52.51	7.46.20
(Commonwealth)		
Tavi II	"A" Class	D.N.F.
(Major S. Edwards)		
Wasp II A3		6.44.15
(Major Griffin)		
Acuda A10		D.N.F.
(Commonwealth)		
Kemp (Captain)		

## SPORT ADVTS.

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Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday the 17th November, 1934. (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building, the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hongkong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

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By MABEL McELLIOTT

## CHAPTER XLVIII

The three well-dressed people in new travelling clothes rode across the wide, jangled streets of the city. Mrs. Raeburn, smart and flushed in her brown tailored suit, leaned forward to peer out of the taxi.

"Chicago!" she said triumphantly. "Why, it's just like New York—noise and all. But smokier."

Mr. Raeburn glanced about him with interest. When he alighted from the cab at the concourse of the other station he dragged his bag leg just a little. Otherwise he was a sturdy enough looking elderly man in neat grey, with a camera slung on a leather strap over his shoulder.

The slim girl in blue with the two elder people was rather silent. She smiled when she spoke to her, but her bright ambered eyes had a far-away look about them.

She went off to buy magazines and her mother said, with some perplexity and dissatisfaction: "Well, I declare, I don't know what we're coming to, the minute she isn't coming with us and the next she is."

She got over the shock of having her tell me she wasn't going to marry Edward Van Sever.

"Oh, stop fretting, mother. You know you're delighted she's with us, instead of half way across the Atlantic."

"Of course, I am. Of course, I am. But I can't make the child out. She seems to be going around about half awake."

Boots' return interrupted this colloquy. She had two bright-coloured periodicals under her arm and the morning edition of a New York newspaper.

"Look, darlings, will wonders never end?" She showed them the headlines over a smiling photograph of Edward.

"Sole of World's Marries His Nurse."

"S. S. Olympic, at Sea," the story read. "Edward Houghton Van Sever, only son of H. B. Van Sever of Amalgamated Steel, was married to day aboard ship to Miss Veronica Mary Kerrigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerrigan of Staten Island."

Miss Kerrigan has been Mr. Van Sever's nurse ever since he was injured in a serious motor accident two months ago.

"Well, never!" Mrs. Raeburn looked dignified. "So that was what he was up to!"

Boots laughed. A cheerful sound it was in the big vaulted room. Two or three people turned to watch her rosy young face with interest.

"Oh, Mum, you know it was nothing of the kind," she protested. "You know we just decided we weren't suited to each other."

Her maternal parent sniffed incredulously. "Looks like it."

"I'm terribly glad," the girl mused, half to herself. "He's such a darling, and I know he was terribly fond of him. These rich men's sons never know whether they're being married for themselves alone. No, I mean it," she finished, smiling again at her mother's offended expression.

"Well, I think you lack the proper feelings in the matter, that's all."

Mrs. Raeburn said, mollified but not wishing to show it. It was a mercy.

she thought privately, that the engagement hadn't been announced; people did gossip so. There were plenty of them, at that, who knew Edward had been attentive to Barbara and who would be only too willing to talk.

Not that they could say she'd been jilted, though. She was an heiress now. No one in Larchmont could look down his nose at the Raeburns.

The porter came back just then and took charge of their bags. The elder people settled themselves comfortably in their drawing room. The train was to leave in 20 minutes and Mrs. Raeburn, according to habit, settled herself comfortably for a nap.

Boots, feeling that odd, stifled restlessness burning within her, sought the platform of the observation car.

Now that she was alone she could give herself up unreservedly to her thoughts. The last week had been crowded with tasks, with the excitement of packing and departure.

Denise—Denise! He was somewhere out in the great world, far from her. But he loved her. She was putting miles between them with every breath that she drew, but perhaps one day—maybe not before she was very old—she would lift her eyes and see him smiling down at her.

Startled out of her dream, she heard her name spoken in an incredulous undertone.

"Boots! O am I dreaming?" Ecstasy! Ecstasy! If I open my eyes, she thought, I'll be awake. His voice has never been so real in a dream before.

But she was awake. The smell of city dust and the smoke from puffing engines, the clangor of the city sounded all about her. Waveringly she opened her eyes. There before her stood the man who had been occupying her thoughts. He was leaner than she remembered him.

His dark, oddly blue eyes were that puzzled little boy frown she knew so well.

"Boots!" He said it again, lingeringly. "It really is you!"

Then he was in the little collapsible chair beside her and his lean, nervous fingers were braced around her own. She was laughing shakily and saying that of course it was. What did he think?

"I thought," he paused and stammered himself, "I thought you were on the high seas now—and married."

"You haven't—haven't seen the papers?"

"What? No, I haven't."

She had the clipping in her bag; Edward's picture. She put it into his hand.

"But I don't see. He didn't."

"No, of course. Her clear laugh rang out joyously. "He didn't fit me. He only—only found a letter."

"It was," she added demurely, "in the pages of some book he was reading. 'The Murder of Maria'—something like that."

"Ah!" He reddened, comprehension lighting his eyes. He looked closer. "You—you little devil, you!"

"Why didn't you—?" she stammered, overcome by the flood of exquisite emotion which threatened to engulf her. "Why didn't you mail it to me, Denise?"

"You mean—you mean you broke with Edward because of me?" She nodded.

"Oh, my darling!"

There was a long, murmurous interlude then during which the man said things for her ear only. Porters ran the length of the cement strip of platform; bells clanged and engines whistled; grimy men hung out of engine cabs and shouted cryptic nothing to others below. The train moved.

Two or three staid people with novels in their hands came to the door of the observation platform and looked curiously at the young people sitting so close together there. Boots and Denise were oblivious to all of this. Their train ran past factories, past bridges and signals. It ran rhythmically past roundhouses and towers and clicked over the ties past shoddy houses with chickens cooped and metal roofed.

Boots and Denise were in Arcady; their hands linked, their ardent faces close together, they wandered in sweet scented fields where only bright-faced flowers grew.

"And you're going to California, too," she murmured after a long interval. "I can't believe it."

"We'll be married as soon as we get there," he said. "No good waiting more time. We've done enough of that already."

He had a place near San Jose. It was just a small ranch—a mere 20 acres, he told her, deprecatingly. It had a comfortable old house on it. They'd live there half the year while he worked. Then New York the rest of the time.

"I can't give you what Edward would have," he told her. But she had her hand upon his lips, silencing them.

"What I can't understand is how you happen to be on this train just now," she marvelled. "I thought you were on the South Seas."

He had taken a fruit boat, he told her, bound for San Domingo. But he'd been eaten by a fever of restlessness. He'd got off at Charleston and stayed there a few days, trying to play, trying to work. Nothing had seemed right. He had taken a train for Chicago.

"And now—this?"

They stared at each other, overcome with the wonder of it all.

Mrs. Raeburn, passing through the last car in a rather anxious search for Boots, a deferential trainman in her wake, paused as though suddenly struck dumb.

"See the young lady?" the official prompted cheerfully.

"Yes, I—I see her. Sorry to have bothered you. It's quite all right."

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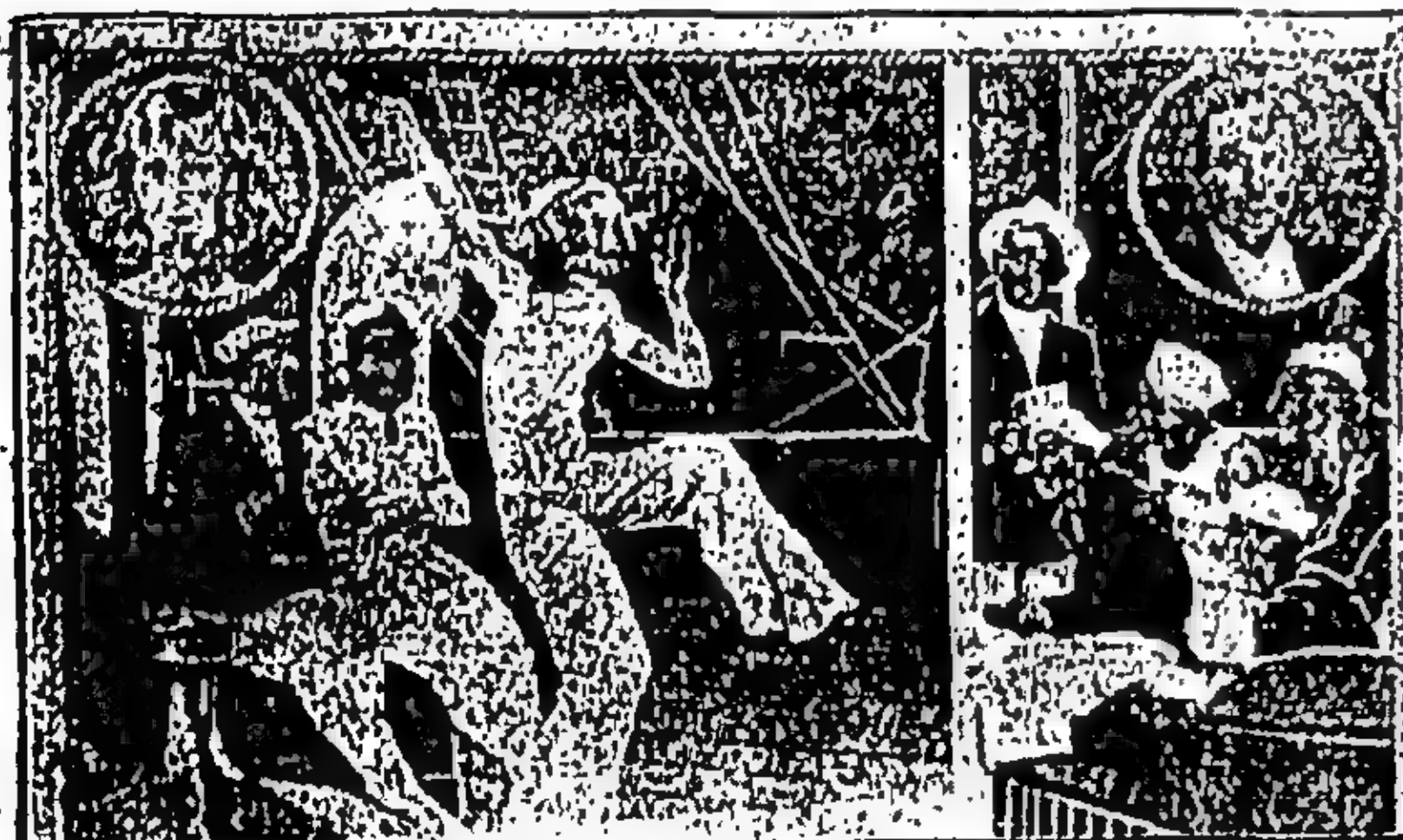
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Berlin, Nov. 4. Allegations that she was imprisoned for seven hours while she underwent a rigorous search by secret police agents—a search that involved the stripping of every bit of clothing from her body were made by a pretty young American girl, Miss Helen Lyster, to-day.

Miss Lyster, who is on a visit to Germany, said that, together with another American named Griffith Johnson, Jr., she was suddenly arrested by Secret Service Police as she and her friend were watching Storm Troop manoeuvres at Munich.

Apparently her only crime was that she was carrying a camera. The two Americans were put in cells, and were searched and questioned by the police, who told them that they were being held for espionage.

They were finally released late at night after a meal of black bread and soup.

No charge was made against them, and, so far, they have received no apology.—*Reuter Special.*

### WEDDING TRAGEDY

PILOTS INCINERATED AS MACHINE CRASHES

London, Nov. 4. A plan to scatter confetti from an aeroplane onto a wedding party near Nottingham ended fatally yesterday afternoon, when the machine crashed and the two occupants, A. C. Grant-Dalton and Philip S. Rook, were incinerated.

Both men were special reserve pilots in the Royal Air Force, and were friends of the newly-wedded couple.

Grant-Dalton was at the controls of the machine, which they had hired for the afternoon, and they were on their way to the wedding party when it crashed at the Chilwell Golf Course.

The machine burst into flames as it hit the ground, and although

### FINAL TATTOO

H.E. THE GOVERNOR SEES LAST PRESENTATION

Large crowds flocked to Sookun-poo on Saturday night, to witness the final presentation of the Grand Tattoo by H.M. Troops in Hongkong.

Among those present were His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, and several other distinguished guests, including the Commander-in-Chief of the French Asiatic Squadron, who arrived in the Colony on Saturday morning aboard the *Palmaguet*.

The whole programme, as on the two previous occasions, went off without a hitch, the items following each other with a commendable rapidity that was only equalled by the quick work of the Battery of Pack Artillery, as they came into "action".

Probably the most effective part of the programme from a military point of view was the item in which the Battery participated. It showed a contrast between the methods of warfare in 1857, when the 2nd Bn. of the Lincolnshire Regiment was in Hongkong, and the present day.

Capable management by the authorities concerned has been revealed on each of the three occasions the Tattoo has been presented, and there should be cause for keen self-satisfaction at not only the financial success of the arrangements but also for the manner in which everything went off with a hitch.

Traffic and seating arrangements were admirably controlled by members of the Hongkong Police Force and the Army authorities.

desperate efforts were made by members of the club to rescue the two unfortunate occupants, they were unavailing, the intensity of the flames beating back the rescuers.

The machine, in falling to the ground, alighted on top of a calf, which was killed.

A child witness of the tragedy says that the aeroplane appeared to break up in the sky.—*Reuter Special.*

### EXPLOSION ECHO

NEW GASOMETERS TO BE ERECTED IN COLONY

An entirely new gasometer will shortly be erected on the site occupied by the tank that was damaged in the disastrous explosion of May 14, which resulted in the loss of 40 lives.

Following expert advice, the Hongkong and China Gas Company has decided to scrap the old gasometer, and to erect a new one.

Material for the new holder is gradually arriving from England, a big consignment being landed from the P. and O. liner *Carthage* last week.

In addition to re-building the West Point gasometer, the Hongkong and China Gas Company intends to erect two more large containers.

One will be erected in the vicinity of the new West Point gasometer, and the other at Mataukok.

This scheme was decided on some time before the explosion at West Point.

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DEPARTURE ON TRANSFER TO MEDITERRANEAN  
Hongkong will bid farewell to three British warships attached to China Station at 8 a.m. this morning, when H.M.S. Eagle, the giant aircraft-carrier, escorted by the diminutive destroyers, H.M.S. Witch and H.M.S. Veteran, will leave the Colony for transfer to the Mediterranean.

The Witch and Veteran are the first of the present Eighth Destroyer Flotilla to leave for the Mediterranean, the other ships being scheduled for departure on December 6. They are the Kestrel, Whitshed, Wren, Wishart, Whitehall, Wild Swan and Verity.

(London), Daint, Daring, Duchess, Dainty, Defender, and then become the Eighth Destroyer Flotilla.

After the transfer of crews, new Eighth Flotilla will not immediately return to Hongkong, will proceed to Borneo, remain there until shortly after Christmas. H.M.S. Hermes, which relieves H.M.S. Eagle on China Station, will probably come to the destroyers. H.M.S. Es will, in future, be attached to previous station at Malta.

The "D" class destroyers of much more recent design than the vessels they are relieving the China Station, and the tonnage is also slightly in excess of the "W" vessels.

The new sloop Grimsby arrived in Hongkong from England to-day. She was delayed in Singapore during the period the Contonary Air Race. As a punishment for the race, Grimsby's search lights were used as a beacon guide them to their objective.

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# KINGSFORD SMITH TO ATTACK SCOTT'S RECORD?

## FLYING AROUND WORLD

### MAY GET NEW MACHINE PLANS FOR HOP OVER ATLANTIC

Los Angeles, Nov. 4. Sir Charles Kingsford Smith may attempt to lower the speed mark set by the English airmen, Scott and Black, during the England to Australia marathon, it was announced here to-day.

Following the arrival of the Australian airmen, Sir Charles and his companion Capt. Taylor, it was stated that they had expected to continue to New York and then cross the Atlantic. Incidentally, they might procure a new plane and attack the speed record recently established by Scott and Black, it was said.

When the aviators arrived here from Oakland they were greeted by the famous American war ace, Robert Lane, and then were rushed to a broadcasting station where Sir Charles spoke to the nation on a country-wide hook-up.

"If I were asked what I wanted most," Sir Charles declared, "I'd say a bath, a shave and a hot meal."

He added that he was very much gratified at the interest shown in the flight from Australia to America, saying that while it was a long way to come, the wonderful reception was well worth it.

The orchestra then played "God Save the King."

#### "FLEA HOP"

London, Nov. 4. A "Commodore" Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, famous Australian aviator, accompanied by Capt. Taylor, his navigator and radio operator, arrived at Oakland, California, at 7.05 a.m. (Local Time) to-day.

It thus completed a trans-Pacific crossing, flying from Australia via Fiji and Hawaii, in remarkably short flying time.

He left Brisbane on October 20, but was detained for many days in the Fiji Islands and again at Honolulu, weather always being responsible. His actual flying time for the whole trip was somewhere in the vicinity of four days. Sir Charles describes the final stage of their journey, from Honolulu to California, as "a mere flea hop."

#### FLIES TO LOS ANGELES.

Los Angeles, Nov. 4. Sir Charles Kingsford Smith and Capt. Taylor flew from Oakland to Los Angeles to-day.

A short time after they landed they took off again for the great western American metropolis where a great welcome awaited them.

The Australian fliers left Oakland at 1.17 p.m. (Local Time) and arrived at Los Angeles at 3.24 p.m., travelling at an easy speed over the intervening rugged country.

#### GERMANS' BAD LUCK.

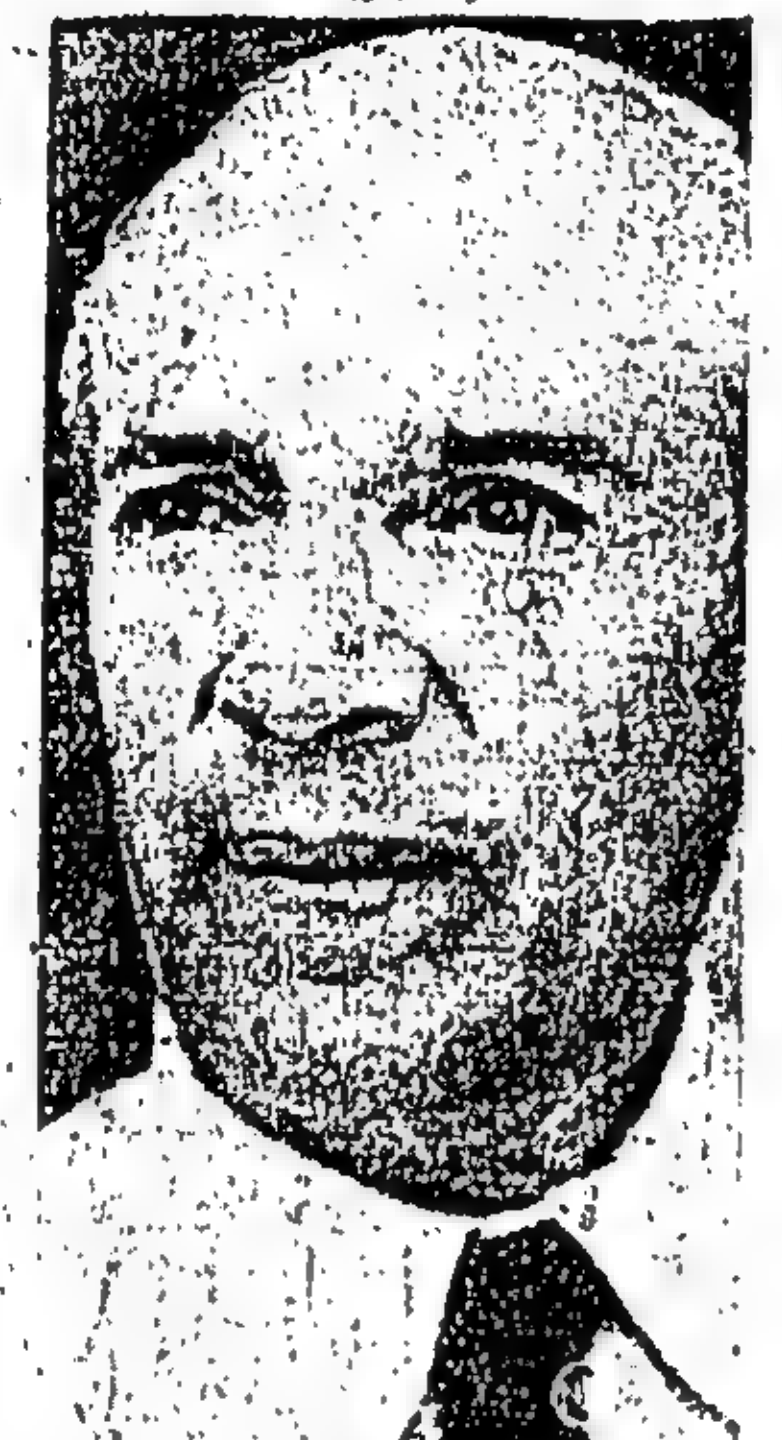
But while Sir Charles and Capt. Taylor were making their successful rush towards California, another pair of ocean fliers were spinning to a crash on the Atlantic side of the world.

A big Luftwaffe mail plane crashed near Caracassonne while engaged in the trans-Atlantic South American service. The plane was completely destroyed and the pilot received severe head injuries. The wireless operator, by a freak of fortune, was unhurt and was able to assist his comrade from the wreckage.—*Reuter*.

#### FAIR WEATHER

A moderate anticyclone is centred over Japan. It is moving slowly east-north-east. The position of the depression in the western part of the China Sea is uncertain; it is probably in about Lat. 11° N. Long. 113° E. moving west. Local forecast: N. E. winds, moderate; fair.

## Republicans Hopeless Against New Deal Popularity



Mr. Upton Sinclair, Democratic nominee for Governorship of California.

### SINCLAIR HAS SLIM CHANCE

### CALIFORNIA WATCHES HYSTERICAL FIGHT

### FORTY-SEVEN STATES POLL TO-MORROW

### PROSPECTS OUTLINED

New York, Nov. 4.

With only a few hours left before the New Deal faces its test at the polls of forty-seven states, politicians all across the country concede that this is the most important election since the Civil War. The general opinion seems to be that a decisive Democrat majority will be returned to Congress.

With radicalism past its peak, however, Mr. Upton Sinclair, the Communists' great hope, appears to be definitely beaten in the California gubernatorial contest. The betting in the state is five to one in favour of Governor Merriam.

The improbability of any serious Republican gains either in the House of Representatives or the Senate is ascribed to the fact that so few Republicans are willing to make an outright fight against the New Deal in view of President Roosevelt's personal popularity.

The enormous relief expenditures by the federal Government are expected to prove a deciding factor in the success of the New Deal Democrats. Leaders are reported to be warning needy voters that the continuance of their relief depends upon the Democratic candidates.

Republicans contend that it is hopeless to try to recapture Congress in face of "the biggest campaign chest in all history." Latest reports from the political front are that Governor Lehman of New York is sure of a smashing victory.—*Reuter*.

#### PREDICTIONS.

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, Nov. 4. Although party lines are irreconcilably scrambled throughout the country, impartial observers predict an overwhelming victory for the New Deal.

Whether such a victory will mean an overwhelming control in Congress remains to be seen. Forty-seven states are to go to the polls. The Maine election was finished last September and gave the Democrats an almost clean sweep. But that result by no means indicates the present feelings of the nation.

The Republicans are making an effort to make the best possible showing, especially in the Senate vote, with a view to making a strong bid in the 1936 campaign. It is generally felt that the party has very little hope of breaking down the Roosevelt line this year.

#### ANTI-SINCLAIR?

In spite of the fact that President Roosevelt is known to have given Mr. Upton Sinclair, his blessing, it is believed the Administration is pulling against the former Socialist campaigner. But Mr. Sinclair is fighting a formidable battle in his effort to win the governorship of the golden state of California.

Mr. John M. Callahan, Democratic senatorial nominee in Wisconsin, has also incurred the wrath of the administration and has been left by the machine. Whereas the administration has turned its face from Sinclair for his alleged visionary ideas, it has remembered that Callahan tried to aid the backers of Mr. Al Smith in 1932 when he sought to oppose Mr. Roosevelt.

#### AT HYDE PARK

Mr. Upton Sinclair, Democratic nominee for Governorship of California, is expected to arrive in London to-day.



Governor Frank Merriam, Republican candidate for California.

### FLIERS HEAD FOR HOME

### Parmentier and Moll At Darwin

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Nov. 4. The latest movements of the Melbourne-England fliers have been reported here as follows:

Parmentier and Moll, the Dutch airmen, who were second to Scott and Black in their record-breaking dash from London to Melbourne, are at Darwin, on their way to Holland.

Capt. and Mrs. Mollison have hopped from Baghdad to Aleppo.—*Reuter Special*.

Later.

Parmentier and Moll left Darwin at 8.25 p.m.

#### "Thunder Over California"

The leaflet is illustrated with a hideous picture of a Russian-looking creature waving a red flag.

Sinclair's group, meanwhile, is calling Governor Merriam a hypocrite, declaring that he pretends to support the Roosevelt New Deal with the sole purpose of getting votes, and after election would revert to his "stand-pat Toryism."

#### TAKING SIDES.

The country is divided rather remarkably. For instance, Mr. Louis B. Mayer is heading a group of film magnates which is solidly behind Governor Merriam. But there are many film stars, writers and other employees who are supporting Sinclair with equal zeal.

The noted "Hot Gospelist," Mrs. Albee Temple McPherson, has given her support to Governor Merriam, whether he wants it or not, and has emerged from the obscurity of many months to wage a campaign in his behalf.

Many believe that certain of these anti-Sinclair efforts are causing a reaction in the anti-politician's favour.—*United Press*.

#### THREE SIDED CAMPAIGN.

San Francisco, Nov. 4. The bitterly contested fight between Mr. Upton Sinclair and Mr. Frank Merriam for the governorship of California, will be decided on Nov. 6.

The count of the ballots will determine whether Sinclair, internationally famous Socialist author, who turned Democrat, or Merriam, present Republican incumbent, will be governor for the next four years. Sinclair conducted a spectacular campaign based on his "End Poverty in California" plan to end poverty in California by redistributing land to the landless.

## HUMAN CARGO JETTISONED

### CHINESE THROWN INTO SEA

### U. S. SMUGGLERS' EVIL TRADE

### SURVIVORS TELL SAD STORY

(Special to "Telegraph")

Key Port, N.J., Nov. 4. The exposure of a smuggling ring which deals in human freight, and which counts the lives of the Chinese "cargo" of no more value than a sack of rags was made here to-day.

Federal Department of Justice officers raided a farm-house and seized eighteen Chinese, two of whom spoke English and said they had been educated at Chinese universities.

They told a "dreadful tale." They had been shipped from Trinidad, they said, in a freighter. They had wanted to enter the United States, but it was necessary for them to evade the immigration laws. For their passage they paid handsomely and were promised a safe landing.

The little company was transferred at sea to another freighter and hidden in the hold. Four became desperately ill and the smugglers carried them on deck and threw them overboard. They were drowned.

#### SEWN INTO SACKS.

The remainder were landed on the New Jersey coast sewn into potato sacks and were carried by truck to a lonely farm-house.

Relatives had come and paid the smugglers additional money and had taken sixteen of the smuggled immigrants away. The rest were awaiting their friends whom they expected would pay what the smugglers demanded in order to effect their release.

All the Chinese were sent to Ellis Island and will be deported.

The smugglers were not captured.—*United Press*.

## FRENCH SAILORS DISCHARGED

### LANGUAGE CAUSES MISUNDERSTANDING

Three French sailors from the cruiser Primoguet appeared before Mr. W. M. Thomson, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on charges of resisting police arrest and disorderly conduct in Battery Path on Saturday.

The defendants were Alfo Lucien (20), Chaudron Louis (20) and Le Gall Gabriel (18), and the complainants were Sergeant McCarthy, P. C. E. Sher Mohamed and Lance Sergeant Ko Tal-ming.

Mr. L. H. C. Callaghan, Assistant Superintendent of Police, appeared for the prosecution, and made an application for the charges to be withdrawn.

Mr. Callaghan said there were two reasons for his application. The first was that it was chiefly a matter of misunderstanding owing to the difficulty of the language, and the second was that Lieut. Christo, who was present in Court, had assured him on behalf of the Captain of the Primoguet that the defendants would be dealt with on board ship for disorderly conduct on shore and also for having assaulted the police. Lieut. Christo agreed with him that the defendants had absolutely no right to refuse to go to the Police Station, and also that they were undoubtedly under the influence of liquor.

Mr. Thomson granted the application, and the defendants were discharged.

The trouble arose when the three defendants took sedan chairs from the bottom of Battery Path to the

### PIRATES SEIZE STEAMER

### FORCED TO ANCHOR IN HONG HAI BAY

### C.M.S.N. VESSEL VICTIMISED

One of the larger China Merchants S. N. Company's ships, the Kaho, has been pirated and taken to Sami Point, in Hong Hai Bay, about sixty miles north of Hongkong.

Details are meagre at present, but a message from the steamer reads:

"Kaho was pirated by 12 pirates at 9 a.m. yesterday. She anchored off Sami Point, in Hong Hai Bay. Three men were carried off. Ship leaving anchorage at 6.40 a.m. to-day."

The steamer trades between Shanghai, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow and is apparently making for Swatow.

## PLANNED INFLATION

### FORCING BUSINESS RECOVERY

Washington, Nov. 3.

Observers here expect a moderate business recovery during the next six months. The Government policy is to force business activity by controlled inflation, Government direction or management of bank credit policy, and the creation of construction with Government money. Great emphasis is placed on the Government programme for the stimulation of home repair and home building under the Housing Act—Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

## STOP PRESS

Melbourne, Nov. 5.

The official placings in the London to Melbourne handicap air race are:

- 1, Scott and Black;
- 2, Parmentier and Moll;
- 3, James Melrose, the young Australian aviator who covered the course solo after several narrow escapes.—*Reuter*.

Peak Tramway terminus in Garden Road. There they tendered a \$5 note to the chair-cooler, who, not being able to change it, refused to accept the money. One of the sailors was then alleged to have assaulted the cooler. Sergeant McCarthy was quickly on the scene, ordered his services in getting the money changed, but, not being able to make himself understood, he attempted to conduct the defendants to the Police Station. Trouble arose on the way to the station, and eventually assistance came from the Station and the men were locked up.



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## CREDIT QUARREL

London, Oct. 26.

While the turn-over of Anglo-Russian trade in the first six months of this year surpassed that of the corresponding period in 1933 by about 50 per cent, German commerce with the Soviets has been dwindling rapidly.

Examination of reliable figures has revealed that, while Russia has been ruthlessly throttling her imports, Britain has moved up to first place among the countries from which Moscow is buying. Whether deliberately or fortuitously, the British have profited both by the frigid Russo-German political relations and consequent slump in their trade and by the stagnation in Russo-American commerce, due partly to failure to settle pre-Bolshevik debts to the United States and partly to disagreement on credit facilities to the Soviets.

How severely Germany has suffered in the Russian market is indicated by the fact that German exports to the Soviet Union in the first half-year of 1934 were valued at only 33,000,000 marks, as compared with 173,000,000 marks during the corresponding six months of 1933. German imports from Russia have remained almost stationary in the two periods mentioned, having totalled 30,400,000 and 33,100,000 marks in the first semesters of 1934 and 1933 respectively.

## SERIOUS LOSS.

As a result, Germany's share of Russia's global imports has fallen from more than 50 per cent, during the first few months of 1933 to approximately 15 per cent, this year.

According to the *Frankfurter Zeitung*, Soviet orders being placed in Germany now range between three and four million marks a month.

In the meantime, Russia has swiftly been paying back to Germany the credits granted for purchase of German products. Germany's outstanding credits to the Soviets are now estimated at about 300,000,000 marks, contrasted with about 1,500,000,000 marks in 1931-32.

## CREDIT DISPUTE.

The systematic curtailment of Russian orders in Germany and the steady repayment of German credits to the Soviets has been due, not merely to the political and social antagonism of the Kremlin towards Nazi Germany, but also to inability of the Germans and Russians to agree on credit conditions and prices for future business. According to German sources of information, Moscow has been insisting on six to ten year terms of payment for further big purchases in Germany, whereas the Germans declare that Russia has been asking excessive prices for commodities which Germany would otherwise import from the Soviet Union.

Whatever its causes, the drastic drop in Soviet buying in Germany has been universally recognised as one of the fundamental reasons for the German acute shortage of gold and foreign currency which Germany requires to finance her imports.—*United Press.*

## BUST FOR VIENNA

A bust of Madach, the author of "The Tragedy of Man," which was commissioned by the Madach Society from a Hungarian sculptor, will be bought by Herr Robbelling of the museum of the Burg Theatre, in Vienna.

## WOOL NET

A Gown In Claret  
Coloured Velvet

WITH WIDE BERTHE



"Wool Net". A gown in claret colour "ring" velvet was very smartly finished with a berthe of coffee-colour wool net which had an edging of wool tassels.

## "JACKET" POTATOES

A LARGE potato roasted in its jacket makes an excellent foundation for a quick, hot meal.

Cut it in half lengthwise when done, sprinkle the two sections with butter, and put a few drops of butter on top. Return the halves to the oven until nicely browned.

Another way is to cut the potato as before, scoop out the floury part carefully and mix it with a little butter, milk, seasonings, and finely chopped parsley. Return it to its half-jackets, and heat through and brown in the oven.

Alternatively, the scooped-out potato can be mixed with beaten egg. In this case the "jackets," after refilling, must be baked for twenty minutes or so in a moderate oven in order to cook the egg. Other savoury additions are chopped walnuts, gherkins, onions, ham and tongue.

EMANCIPATION  
OF GIPSYLEADERS SEEKING  
RECOGNITION

The first Tziganes daily paper, *Neamul Ciganesc (Tziganes Nation)*, appeared in Bucharest recently, and marks the appearance of the Tziganes as an independent nationality.

The Tziganes in Rumania number one million souls, and in the latest Rumanian statistics they are recognised as a separate nationality. A few weeks ago a mass meeting of Tziganes was held at Nagyszeben, in Transylvania, and the Rumanian folk of the whole world were called on to co-operate in elevating their race from the inferior position it has held until now.

The president of the meeting and organiser of the Tziganes emancipation is a Bucharest florist, Nicolae, who urges the Rumanians occupying high position who are of Tziganes descent to confess their origin openly.

Dr. Nicolae Plopsor, a professor in Craiova, who declares himself to be of gipsy origin has completed a Tziganes grammar, and recently published a collected edition of gipsy songs. This book is stated to be the first book published in this language, apart from some grammars, among which the grammar written by the late Archduke Joseph is one of the oldest.

## WIRELESS

## MYSTERY

BROADCASTS THAT  
GO ASTRAY

A special committee has been set up as the result of the recent meeting of the International Scientific Radio Union in London to tackle one of the most extraordinary problems ever encountered in radio science.

The committee has set itself the task of finding out why, when a radio listener tunes into a programme, say, from a station like Droitwich, which radiates on a wavelength of 1,600 metres, he hears instead a programme of dance music coming from Athlone—the wavelength for which is only 531 metres.

Interference is not unusual when the stations are approximately the same wavelength, but when their wavelengths are as far apart as in the case of Droitwich and Athlone such reception constitutes something new to radio experimenters.

It has been found to happen with many other pairs of stations.

Professor E. V. Appleton, one of the foremost authorities on these subjects, and a number of other leading scientists are following a remarkable line of investigation.

## WAR FACTOR.

It suggests that when the programme transmitted from Droitwich travels in the form of wireless to the upper atmosphere millions of miles above the earth it cuts across the programme being broadcast by a station such as Athlone.

Somehow the waves of the talk programme from Droitwich get mixed up with the music waves coming from Athlone—scientists do not really know how—and the result is that the music goes to the Droitwich listeners and at certain times the talks go to Athlone listeners.

So impressed are radio scientists with this new phenomenon that they are to call on the World Radio Research League—the organisation of amateur experimenters formed by the B.B.C.—to help them.

Mr. Ralph Stranger, secretary of the League, says, "The subject has infinite possibilities."

"It is fascinating to think that if such interference between stations can be controlled it may become a vital force in warfare."

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Count Jacob Potocki, whose death was announced recently, has left almost his entire fortune, valued at 100,000,000 zlotys (about £4,000,000), to be devoted to the struggle against cancer and tuberculosis.

He owned large estates and numerous chateaux in Poland, and hotels in Paris, Biarritz, Cannes, and Juan-les-Pins.

He has bequeathed his library and a magnificent art collection to the National Library and Museum respectively.

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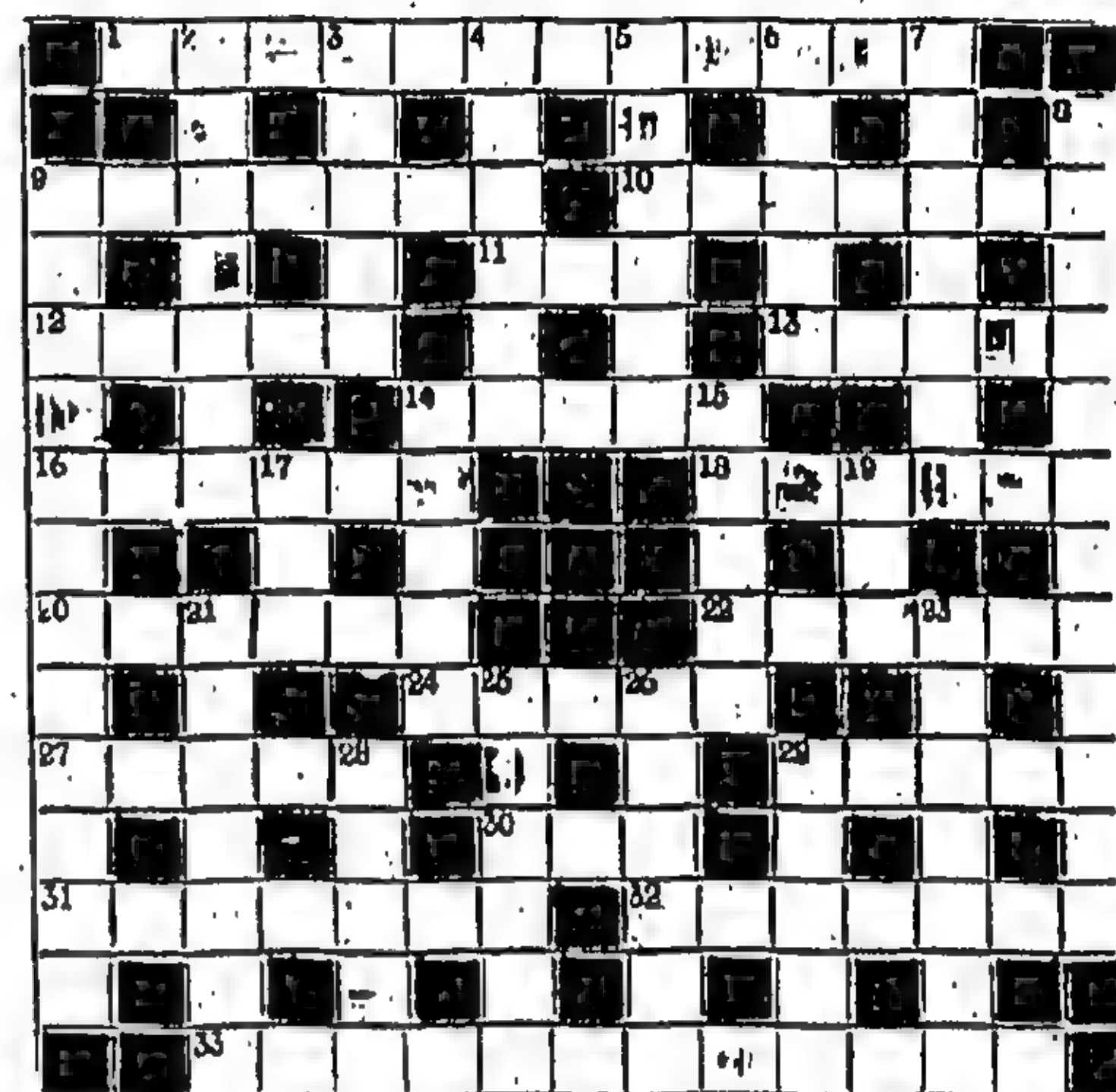
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## Across

- 1 All Paris, Sara, goes for this drink.
- 9 "Nay, Tom, A," not I (anag.).
- 10 His lock is famous.
- 11 Spider horse, bird or nut.
- 12 Dynasty.
- 13 The youngster who completely grips.
- 14 Skins may be so apt.
- 16 Mother runs into a corner, to wring out the clothes.
- 18 The sort of jar you may get in a Dutch town.
- 20 Pin (not poet) and peasant.
- 22 My pugs are made of plaster of paris.
- 24 You may read without skipping: these skip without reading.
- 27 Parades (and in the ship, too) for children.
- 29 Opening question.
- 30 This may be dressed in costume—or in salad.
- 31 Great pain is indicated.
- 32 Sadly, I say, this makes vile hay.
- 33 On "yon log, Portha" sits studying this (anag.).

## Down

- 2 Leave a strip in the middle.
- 3 Make tracks for this.
- 4 Soul personified.
- 5 Sounds as though bunny had got into a groove, doesn't it?
- 6 Clown: there are lots around you.
- 7 Related as changed.
- 8 Certain mathematics which lead to more trying.
- 9 Affords protection against oil.

the materials used being as in a car's mat.

- 14 Pale jewels: can even be paler.
- 16 A gun is the right thing for these garden pests.
- 17 Fiddle string you can pull the wrong way.
- 19 Bark.
- 21 The genus of birds that boat an Indian city.
- 23 Rotating anything on its axis.
- 25 One would think its weight was now well known.
- 26 When you address his lordship it is quite the right thing to mention his shop.
- 28 Not much.
- 29 The timorous bird.

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## ANCIENT CRAFTS OF ENGLAND'S CAPITAL

(BY A CORRESPONDENT)

There are craftsmen in London who can make by hand a "bell-bow" in Spanish yew as deftly as the bowyers of olden days. This fact I learned while seeking out among the 20,000 occupations of London's eight millions those ancient crafts that persist as legacies of the times when all men wrought by hand. And just as you may buy from the modern bowyer a true hand-made bow, so you may turn to the London fletcher who has inherited the art of goose-feathering an arrow with all the skill and cunning of the medieval worker.

Before the invention of the steel pen by Bryan Donkin the craft of quill-making gave employment to thousands. There remain in London still a handful of quill-makers who find a market for their wares among the legal folk and that small minority of writers that prefer the goose-quill to the most modern of fountain-pens. The craft has come down the centuries unchanged, the quill-dresser of modern London handles the undressed quill, bakes it, and points it as did the quillmakers of the eighteenth century.

In ancient Greece there were craftsmen who could produce gold leaf one hundred-thousandth of an inch in thickness. Gold-beaters in the Middle Ages performed that miracle, too. In modern London you may see the master craftsman who can surpass all those who went before him, for, using the old traditional methods, the

other public buildings.

If you require a hand-made lock—that is, hand-made throughout—it is still possible to find the master craftsman who can make you one. Machinery has all but extinguished this ancient craft. In the London workshop of a master locksmith you may see still in use tools and equipment that have been in use since the eighteenth century. Here, scornful of machines, locksmiths, employed by a firm that can boast that its founder made the first great keys of Newgate, make locks by hand. No machine, they will tell you, can make a lock to compare with the hand-made article.

### GLASS HOUSES.

The wanderer about London's byways may wonder at the frequency with which he will come on Glass-yards, Glassfields, and Glass-streets. These names derived from the vicinity of old London's glass houses. Only one of these houses survives, though the eighteenth century could show a glass house for every so-called thoroughfare. In those old glass houses tumblers, decanters, and similar glassware were made entirely by hand, and the craft still exists, being carried on quite near St. Paul's.

But for the uniform of the Bar one craft would by now have vanished entirely. If the wig-maker still flourishes, he owes his existence to the lawyers. He



In Paris a race was recently arranged for sporting toys and our picture shows some of the participants driving at full speed on l'Esplanade des Invalides.

modern master-man makes gold-leaf 200,000th of an inch in thickness.

### STICKS TO METHOD.

As with most ancient crafts that have descended from generation to generation, the gold-beater may improve in handicraft, but he eschews changes of method. There are four master gold-beaters in London, and it is their boast that theirs is the most ancient of all crafts. They point, in evidence, to the gold-leaf that adorns the mummy case of An-Antef, in the British Museum, a specimen of their craft that goes back to 2,600 B.C. There is no machinery that can do this work, and that is why you may still see in London the gold-beater and hear his 8-lb. hammer as it descends upon the marble bench.

It is from the workshops of London's gold-beaters that will come the gold-leaf for the re-decoration of the Albert Memorial which is now in progress; it is gold-leaf from these workshops that gilds St. Paul's Cathedral, the Houses of Parliament, and many



Miss Contance Bennett looks at Paris' modes before choosing her winter ensembles.

works by hand, and the horse-hair product of his craft remains unchanged. Between this craft and the making of theatrical wigs there is a wide difference. Theatrical wigs are not made to last; but the product of the legal wig-maker is required to stand up to long years of service. In the small window of a legal-wig-maker I saw just how well his wares last, for there, good as the day the learned judge first donned it, stands the wig of Sir Henry Hawkins, later Baron Bramwell.

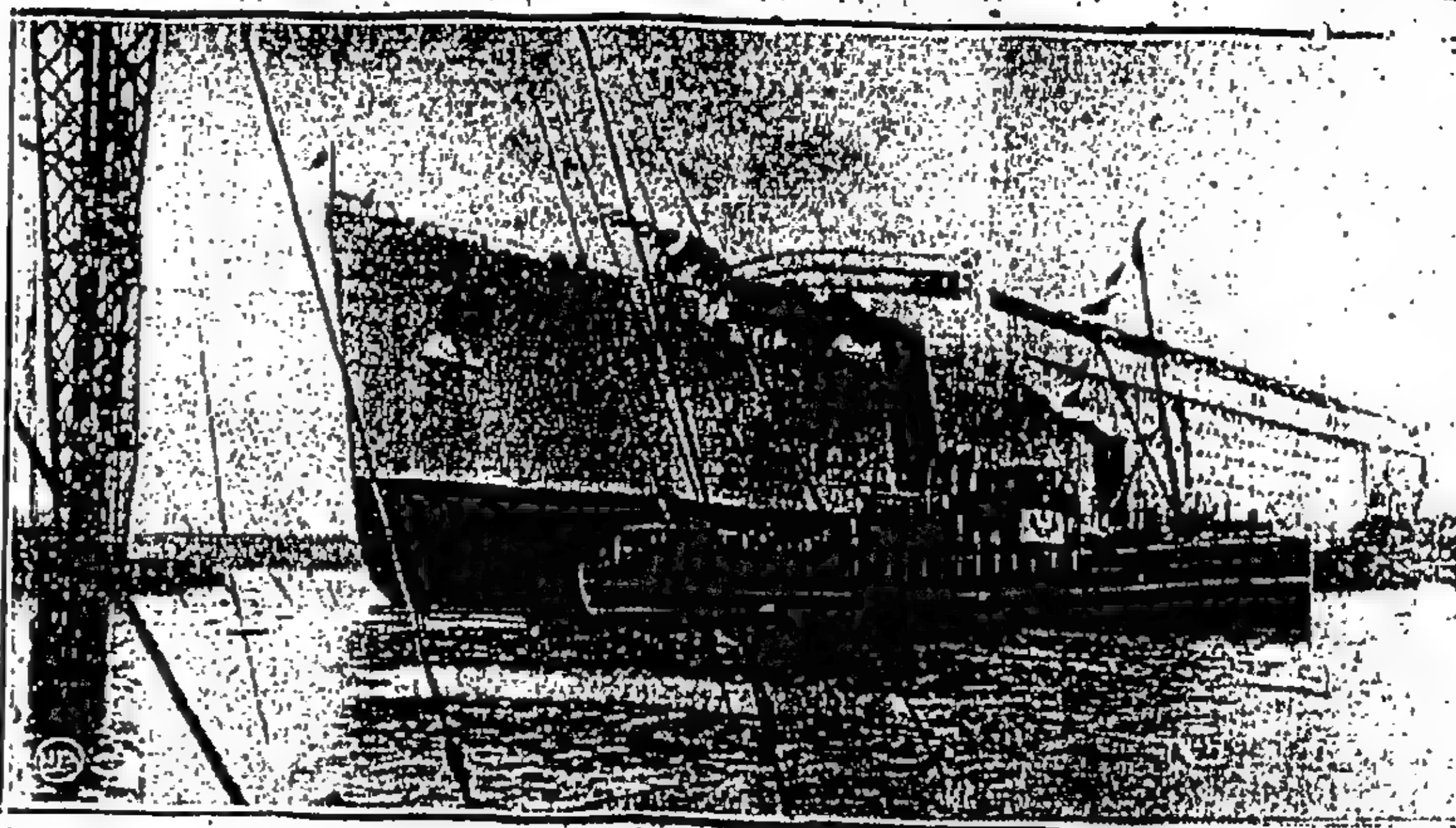
### WHITE MAGIC.

Among London's old shops one can still come upon those quaint, ill-lit back premises where men still work by hand. For example, a minute's walk from Regent-street there is a little shop where out of the queerest traditional occupations is still carried on. There, in a workshop littered with precious and semi-precious stones, with jacinth, jade, crystal, and amber, a craftsman caters for those who still hold that in the magic amulet lies power to propitiate the powers of evil.

Here a craftsman turns out jewelled talismans, each one in accordance with astrological maps and prepared for the customer whose horoscope acts as guide to the mysteries of fate and futurity. Strange as it may seem, these costly ornaments go out from London to every part of the world; for not even machines can extinguish credulity.

Which is London's oldest shop? Most people will say, off-hand, that it stands in the Haymarket, adding that one can still buy there the snuffs beloved of the bucks of Regency days. It is quite true you can buy in that ancient house precisely that snuff used by King George III.

But if you would find the oldest shop in London you will have to wander East. Bell-founding is an ancient craft, and in Whitechapel there stands the oldest bell-founders in London. That firm can show a record of trading that goes back in unbroken succession to 1570, though the present premises are a mere two centuries old.



The mysterious giant passenger vessel "No. 534," on which the merged Cunard and White Star lines of England devoted more than three years' work, finally splashed into the River Clyde, near Glasgow, Scotland, when Queen Mary christened the ship with her own name. Although the most powerful ship afloat, the Queen Mary will be second in size to France's new super-liner, the Normandie, launched two years ago.

## ZEPPELIN'S VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY

Rio De Janeiro, Oct. 28.

Ruins of lost cities, legendary monuments like those of Easter Island, and strange Indian tribes will be sought from the air next year when a new Zeppelin makes three scientific flights over the Amazon and its tributaries.

Special machinery enabling the dirigible to remain suspended just above the ground while a Gondola is lowered to land scientists for detailed research will be installed.

The expedition will seek detailed information of the world-famous country of orchids in the valley of the River Madeira. Attempts will be made to locate the ruins of ancient cities, once reported existent but long since barred from man's view.

Into the vast territories between the Amazon and Bahia the Zeppelin scientists will cruise hoping to establish important historic facts concerning the age and origin of these "lost cities," such as the well-known Sincora.

The mission may even incorporate rescue with science, says its prospectus, for a descent is planned in the districts of Matto Grosso, in central Brazil, a land of gold and the mythical Martirios amongst whom the British explorer, Colonel P. H. Fawcett, was reported to have disappeared.

### FAWCETT'S TALE.

It was Fawcett who claimed the existence in these regions of cities and settlements and an attempt will be made to locate an old tribe and their monuments of stone believed to be similar to those found on Easter Island.

Efforts will also be made to trace the German explorer Schmidt, who, like Dr. Ritter and the Galapagos Islands, deserted civilisation for Matto Grosso and according to reports became chief of a belligerent tribe and at the age of 60 married his second Indian wife recently.

It is planned on the flight over Central Brazil to bring about a meeting of all accessible tribes of Indians, to have them witness the most modern means of transportation in the world through a unique reception in the middle of the virgin forest where the Zeppelin will land.

### HUNTING WHITE INDIANS.

The expedition will search for tribes of Indians about whom little is known. A visit will be made to the region occupied by the "white" Indians and in the districts between Xingui and Tapajoz rivers they will attempt to trace the Pygmies. The location of these settlements are known but have never been visited by white men.

The Zeppelin will make a final trip over Southern Brazil, over

thickly populated districts and the richest coffee plantations of the world, passing over the great waterfalls of Iguassu and Sete Quedas, biggest in the world.

The shadow of the great dirigible will also fall across the cave city near Curitiba, and passing southward into the interior the expedition will seek the ruins of an old desert city believed to exist in the forest of the River Uruguay.

United Press.

## "FATHER OF THE DESERT"

In a lecture to the Royal Central Asian Society, Major C. S. Jarvis, who has been Governor of Sinai for twelve years, dealt with the Arab and his characteristics, such as his heedlessness of the value of time and punctuality. "Time to him is not a dimension—it is merely a state of mind." The lecturer held the view that the Arab invasion of the seventh century put the clock back in the Middle East for thirteen hundred years, and pointed to the past prosperity of the deserts of Trans-Jordan, Southern Palestine, and Libya, comparing it with their present deserted and neglected states. It was a misnomer to allude to the Arab as the "Son of the Desert," for he was, to be exact, the father of the desert, having very largely created it himself by his neglect and carelessness, i.e., failure to

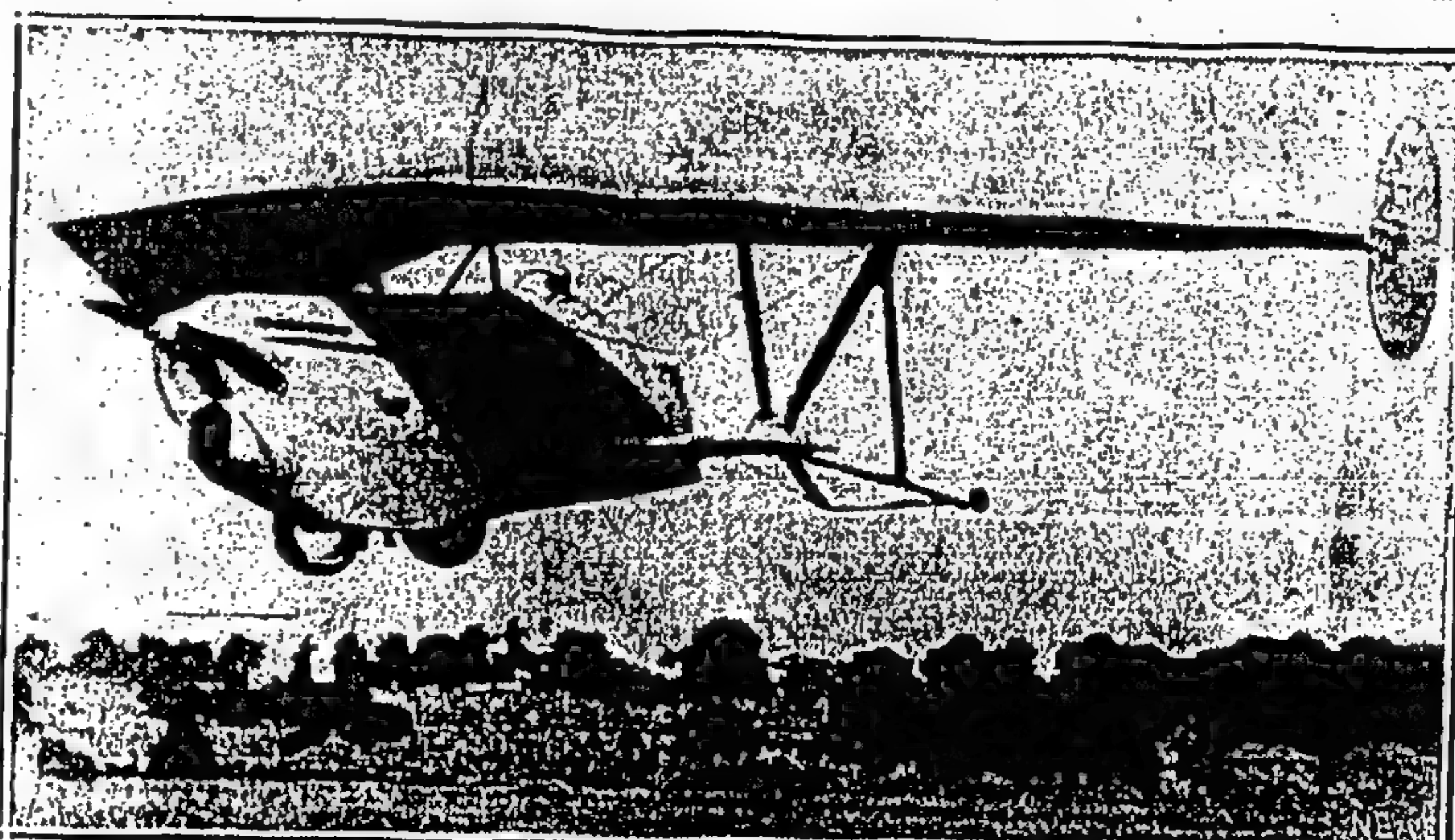


Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, the American Minister in Denmark, is seen above entertaining some Eskimo children during her recent visit in Greenland.

### GERMAN DOCUMENTS

"Friends of Europe," in their September survey of German publications, have reproduced important representative documents from the German Press in relation to the recent General Election of Hitler as leader of the Third Reich. A lengthy survey appears of a new book, "Blood and Honour," by Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, the well-known Nazi leader.

repair dams, water channels, springs, etc., and allowing his camels and goats to destroy trees and vegetation. The goat, Major Jarvis—quoting from the Scriptures—alluded to as "a leader in mighty wickedness," and to a very large extent held this animal responsible for the incursions of sand dunes that have covered so much useful land in the Middle East.



More speed and greater efficiency in the air is predicted by designers of the "pterodactyl" plane, which eliminates the cumbersome fuselage, tail and rudder of the conventional type of aircraft. One of the odd craft is shown in a test flight at Yeovil, England. It is named for the most primitive flying animal known to science.

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His Excellency, The Governor has kindly consented to distribute the School Prizes on Wednesday, November 7th, at 3 p.m.  
Parents, Old Boys and Friends are invited to attend.

### ST. ANDREW'S BALL.

Members of St. Andrew's Society attending this function are requested to return their Ball Subscription Lists to the Joint Hon. Secretary at their earliest convenience. This will permit the issuing of Invitation Cards in good time for Members and Guests to attend the Practice Dances.  
Hongkong, 3rd November, 1934.

### THE HONGKONG & CANTON ICE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the shareholders in the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, 2, Lower Albert Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th November, 1934, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the company will be CLOSED from 1st November, 1934, to 14th November, 1934, both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
G. MILNE,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, 29th October, 1934.

### THE HONGKONG DEVELOPMENT BUILDING & SAVINGS SOCIETY LTD. (In Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of Contributors will be held at the offices of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, (4th floor) Hongkong on Wednesday, the 14th November, 1934, at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving a report by the Liquidators, and a Summary of the Liquidators' Receipts and Payments to the 31st July, 1934.

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Liquidators.  
Hongkong, 2nd November, 1934.

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## POLICE RESERVE

### ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, state:

Armistice Day.  
The following Police Reservists will parade for duty in connection with the Armistice Day celebrations on Sunday, November 11.

Chinese Company:—15 members of the Chinese Company to parade at Central Police Station at 09.00 hours to draw arms and 30 members to parade at the Chinese Company Headquarters at the time arranged. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Indian Company:—30 members of the Indian Company to parade at Central Police Station at 09.00 hours to draw arms. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Flying Squad:—12 members of the Flying Squad to parade at Central Police Station at 09.00 hours to draw arms. Dress—White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Emergency Unit Reserve:—15 members of the Emergency Unit Reserve to parade at Central Police Station at 09.00 hours. Dress—Khaki Helmet, Khaki Tunic, Khaki Shorts, Puttees, Belts, Holsters and Revolvers.

Chinese Company.  
Training Course: Part II.—All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed Part II of Training Course will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, November 6th, at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Flying Squad.  
Revolver Course:—Members of the Flying Squad will fire the Part III Course "A" at the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, November 7th, at 17.15 hours under Sub-Inspector A. L. Hopkins. Only those detailed will attend.

Emergency Unit Reserve.  
Revolver Course:—All members of the Emergency Unit Reserve who have not yet fired the Part III Course "A" will attend at the Kennedy Road Range on Friday, November 9th, at 17.15 hours under Sub-Inspector A. L. Hopkins.

C. CHAMPKIN,  
Acting, D. S. P. (H)

## KOWLOON GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

### DRAW FOR FIRST ROUND

The following is the draw for the first round of the Kowloon Golf Club Championship to be played on or before November 11:—  
McKelvie v. Taylor.  
Woolley v. Barry.  
Da Rosa v. Milne.  
Eastman v. Collings.  
Wilson v. Urquhart.  
Dennis v. Mundy.  
Murphy v. Allsbrook.

### CAPTAIN PRESIDENT MATCH.

The following is the draw for the Captain's v. President's match of the Kowloon Golf Club, to be played on Monday, 12th inst., singles in the morning and four-balls in the afternoon:

Captain's Team President's Team  
9.00 H. H. Mundy, A. T. Braley.  
9.04 E. H. Collings, A. J. Dennis.  
9.08 A. W. de Rosa, P. Allsbrook.  
9.12 W. Taylor, A. L. Urquhart.  
9.16 F. E. Remedios, S. McNider.  
9.20 W. J. Woolley, C. G. Anderson.  
9.24 D. Purves, A. Andrews.  
9.28 G. Churton, W. Simpson.  
9.32 W. Stoker, H. D. Gauden.  
9.36 G. Moks, A. R. Brown.  
9.40 D. M. Cameron, W. Burke.  
9.44 W. Ahern, D. Parsons.  
9.48 A. J. Coles, R. H. Cain.  
9.52 G. W. Hirst, J. King.

Poon Wai-suen, merchant, of 30, Li Yuen Street, died on June 12 leaving local estate assessed under \$119,000. Probate has been granted to Poon Kai-ang and Poon Yau-ang, of the same address.

The s.s. Yasukuni Maru has wired the local N. Y. K. Office that she will arrive in harbour at 2 p.m. to-morrow instead of at daylight, as scheduled.

## STEADY ADVANCE AGAINST REDS

### Attack On Juichin Contemplated

Foochow, Nov. 5.  
A Government report states that some of the troops who have occupied Changting are advancing towards the Kiangsi border in order to effect conjunction with other Central Government units in Kiangsi, in preparation for an advance on Juichin, capital of the Chinese Soviet Government.

The city is thought to be stationed only by a handful of Reds, as the main bodies of the defending troops have moved to southwestern Kiangsi.—Central News.

## CANTON AERIAL SERVICE

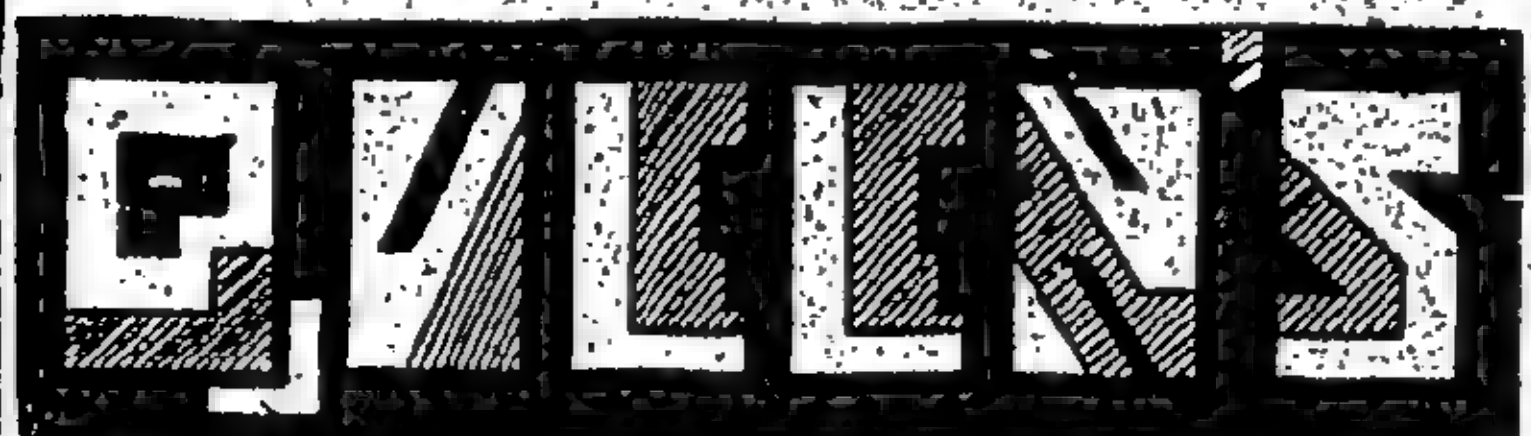
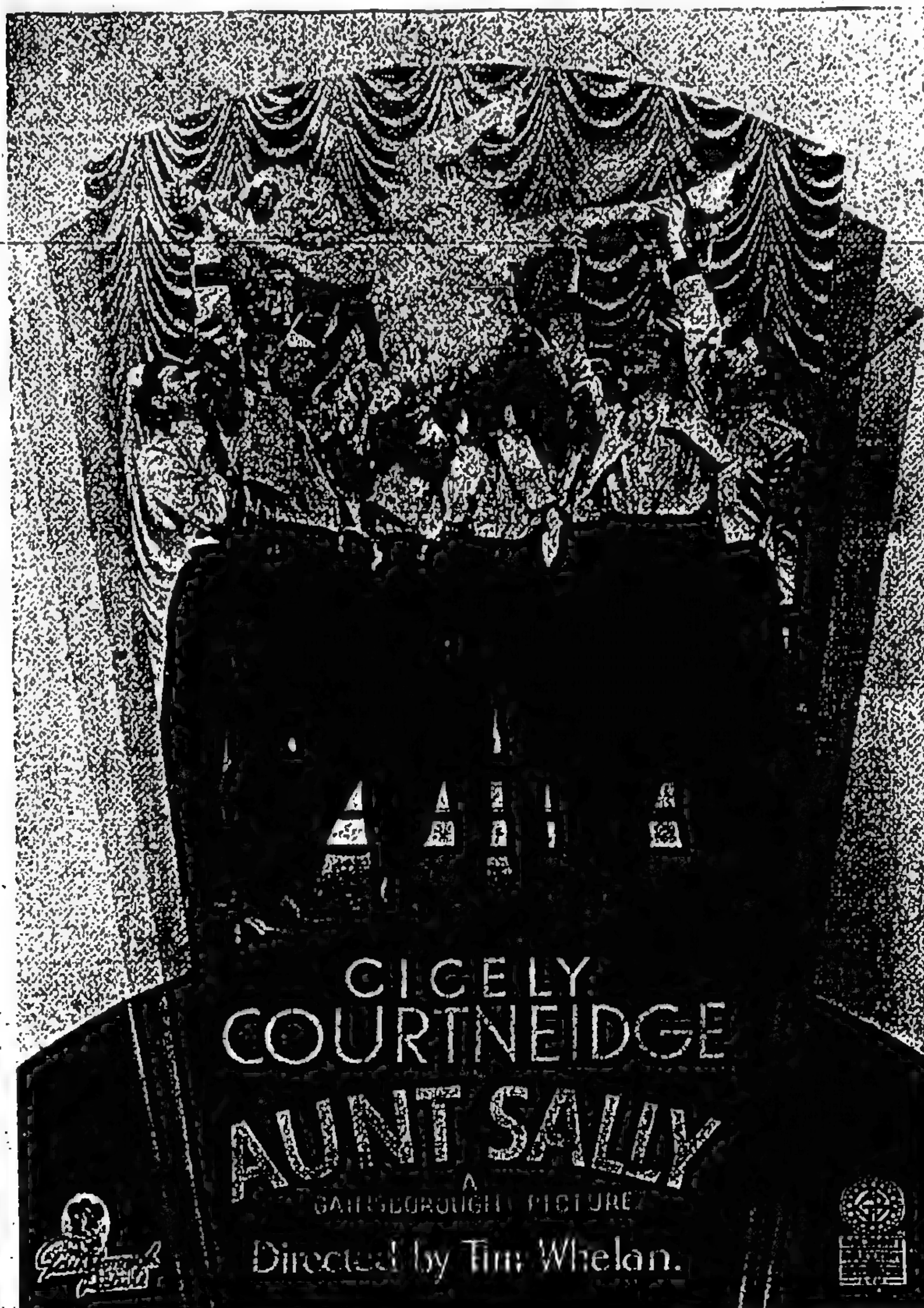
### PLANE TAKES UP PASSENGERS

Canton, Nov. 5.  
The C.N.A.C. plane which arrived yesterday afternoon at 2.45 is taking several Chinese and foreign officials, and friends up this afternoon for a short flight over the city.

Captain Allison, the chief pilot, accompanied by Messrs. Sellers, Ehmer, and Greogor flew from Swatow yesterday in just over one and a half hours.—Our Own Correspondent.

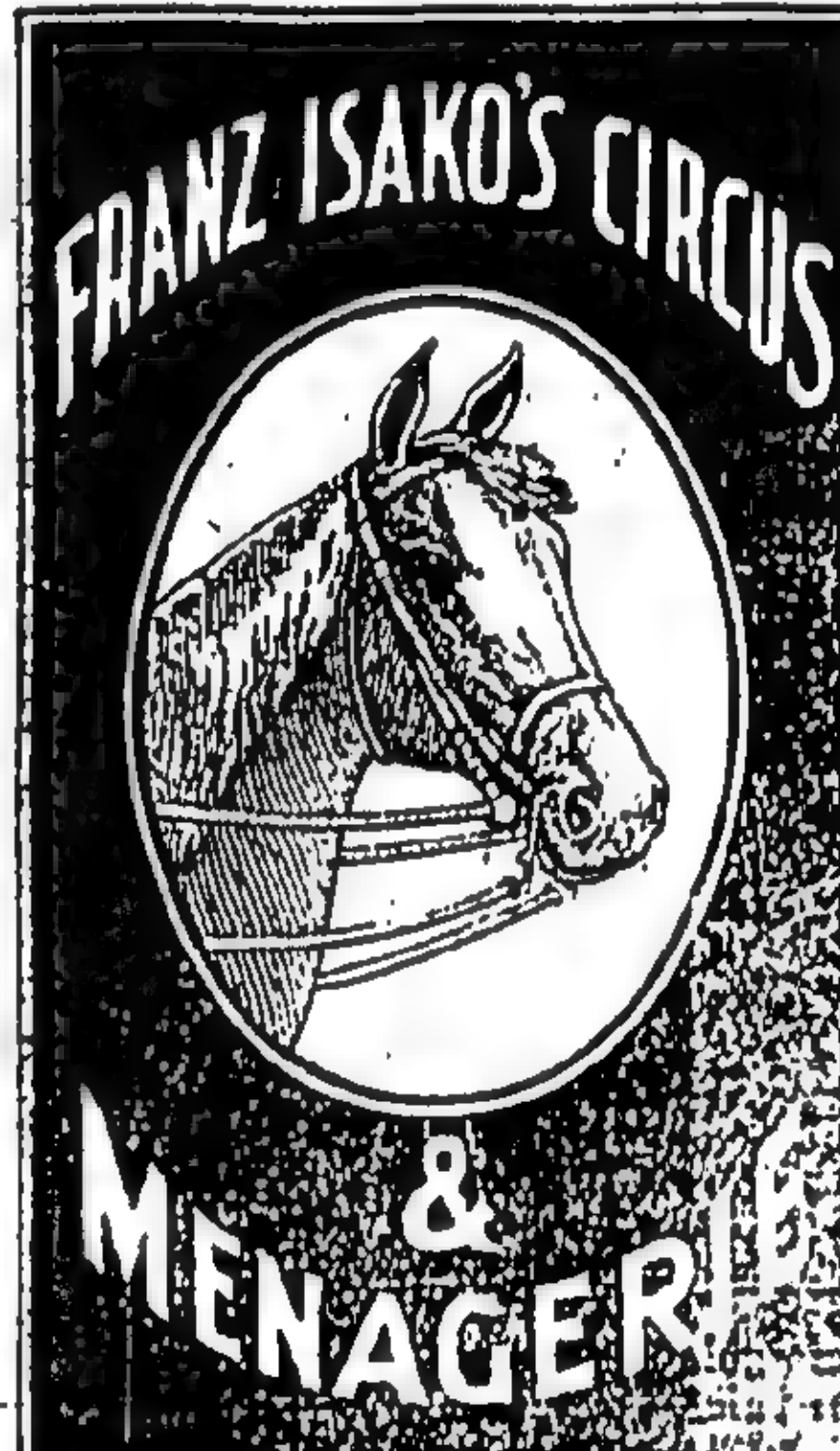
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CELEBRATE HIS RETURN.

## CALIFORNIA STRUGGLE

(Continued from Page 1.)

error upon the death of Governor  
James Rolph several months ago.  
Prior to that Merriam was ten-  
nant governor.

Sinclair predicts he will be  
swept into office by a majority of  
more than a hundred thousand.  
He caused a major political  
sensational by winning the De-  
mocratic nomination for governor  
in the primary last August out of  
a field of nine Democratic con-  
tenders, including Mr. George Creel,  
Mr. Woodrow Wilson's director of  
public information during the  
World War. Creel afterward  
turned his support to Sinclair.  
Immortal observers, however,  
predict a close race due to the  
desperate fight waged by the  
Republicans who claim Sinclair is  
an economic menace and would  
plunge California into bankruptcy  
with "crack-brained Socialistic ex-  
periments that are mighty close to  
anarchy."

"It is not merely an election to  
decide who will be governor of  
California—it is above all an  
election to decide whether Pre-  
sident Roosevelt will be president  
in 1936," is the way Sinclair puts  
it. Sinclair has aligned his  
"Epic" plan with the New Deal  
and claims the support of Pre-  
sident Roosevelt.

### MIDDLE COURSE.

A third candidate for governor,  
Raymond L. Haught, running on  
the Progressive and Common-  
wealth tickets, is hardly expected  
to be a serious contender. Haught  
made a strong campaign on the  
claim that he represents a sane  
middle course between the radi-  
cals of Sinclair and the reac-  
tionary Republicanism of Merriam.

This campaign has ruptured  
party lines throughout the state.  
Thousands of Democrats who  
claim Sinclair is an impostor in  
their ranks and that he is only  
temporarily casting aside his  
radical mantle are expected to  
vote for Merriam. Likewise,  
thousands of Republicans who ob-  
ject to the alleged torpidity of  
Merriam, are expected to vote for  
Sinclair.

Feeling has reached a high  
pitch. Mr. Harry Cohn, president  
of Columbia Motion Pictures, has  
threatened that he will close down  
his Hollywood studio and move  
East if Sinclair is elected.  
Columbia is the largest of the  
independent studios. "We want  
no part nor parcel of Sinclair,"  
Cohn said. "We will close our  
Hollywood studio in a minute if  
he is elected."

Originally a report was  
circulated that Columbia, Para-  
mount, Universal and United  
Artists would move east in event  
of a Sinclair victory. It was  
rumored the studios feared a  
prohibitive tax on their products  
if Sinclair became governor. All  
except Columbia denied the report.  
—United Press.

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ing and display department is  
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are of original and clever designs.

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interesting, but the exhibits them-  
selves are most striking. Besides  
the celebrated Chinese tea, silk  
and embroideries, there are shown  
many goods which few people  
know are so well made by Chinese,  
such as handkerchiefs, pencils,  
paints, bakelite ware, enamelware,  
toilet articles and rubber shoes.  
In all, there are products of 69  
factories from Hongkong, Canton,  
Macao, Shanghai, Foochow and  
Hangchow.

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ing include the National Lacquer  
& Paint Products Co., Walled  
Handkerchiefs Mfg. Co., China  
Can Co., The World Pencil Co.,  
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Lid., Castle Peak Ceramic Co.,  
M. P. San & Co., On Lok Yuen and  
Wing Hsueh Mills.

The exhibition is open daily  
from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for free  
inspection. It will close on the  
10th instant.

The prevalence of cases of snatch-  
ing was commented on by Mr.  
Macfadyen in the Central Police  
Court this morning when he passed  
sentence of three months' hard labour  
on Ng Kuei-shan, for stealing a foun-  
tain pen from the pocket of a man  
in Des Voeux Road Central. The de-  
fendant, said Sub-Inspector Dredge,  
was seen to follow the complainant  
and to use his felt hat as a cover in  
the extraction of the pen. The pen  
was valued at \$15.

## STALIN IS RUSSIA'S MAN OF STEEL

(Continued from Page 6.)

Democratic Party split into Bol-  
shevik and Menshevik wings in  
1903. His official biographical  
sketch describes him as "Lenin's  
most orthodox disciple." Unlike his  
great enemy whom he finally des-  
troyed politically, Leon Trotsky,  
he engaged in no pre-revolutionary  
polemics on theoretical questions  
with Lenin.

There can be little doubt that  
many traits of Stalin's character  
were formed during the many  
years which were divided between  
underground activity and periods  
of exile. In this experience there  
was small scope for speechmaking,  
debating and voting. There was  
always the need for conspiracy,  
for obedience to orders, for a very  
watchful appraisal of every new  
recruit to the party. A favorite  
device of the police was to employ  
provocateurs in order to learn the  
secrets of the revolutionary groups  
and catch their leaders. A saying  
much in vogue during the last  
years of Lenin's life was: "Lenin  
trusts Stalin; Stalin trusts no  
one"; and the leader of the Com-  
munist Party certainly makes the  
impression of a man who keeps his  
own counsel and does not give his  
confidence readily to anyone.

Space forbids a detailed descrip-  
tion of the various stages by which  
Stalin rose to supreme power in  
the Communist councils, of the  
way in which he, in alliance with  
Zinoviev and Kamenev, undermined  
and politically destroyed Trotsky,  
of his subsequent triumph over his  
associates, Zinoviev and Kamenev,  
of the latest and final stage of his  
political triumph: the elimination  
from influential rank of the former  
Premier, A. I. Rykov; the former  
head of the Soviet trade unions,  
Mikhail Tomsky, and the former  
editor of the Communist news-  
paper, Pravda, Nikolai Bukharin.  
Of greater immediate interest is  
Stalin's own platform, the goals  
which he pursues.

He is a worshipper at the shrine  
of mechanical efficiency; and he  
has not hesitated to apply methods  
of wartime ruthlessness to drive  
the country along the road of in-  
dustrial development and to break  
the resistance of the peasantry to  
collective farms, operated under  
the close supervision of the state.  
"When we put the worker on the  
automobile and the peasant on the  
tractor we shall see which coun-  
tries are considered advanced and  
which are backward," he boasted  
on one occasion. And his few  
public pronouncements are filled  
with exhortations to "master  
technique," to overcome Russia's  
traditional technical backwardness.

Behind Stalin's fierce yearning  
to see Russia industrialized as  
rapidly as possible are two ele-  
ments: the belief that Socialism  
itself depends on a big framework  
of modern industry; and the con-  
viction that the Soviet Union will  
only be able to win the war which  
Communist dogma regards as  
ultimately inevitable if indus-  
trialization has created the shows  
of military preparedness.

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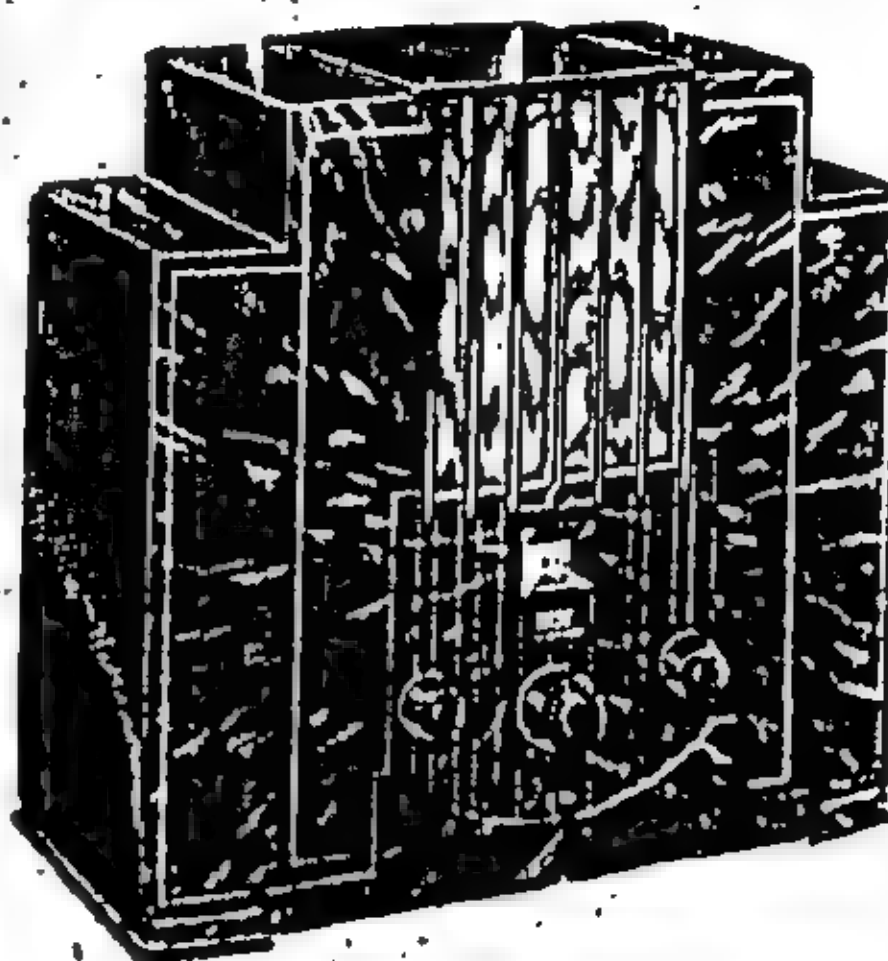
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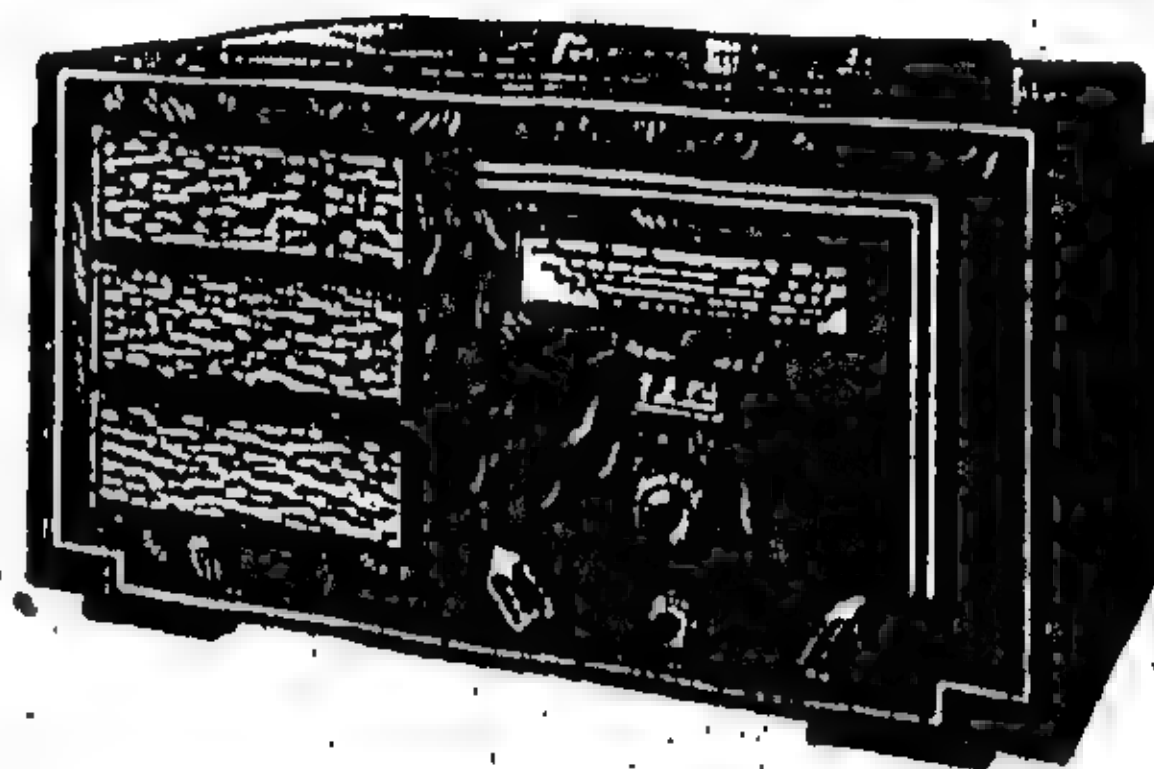
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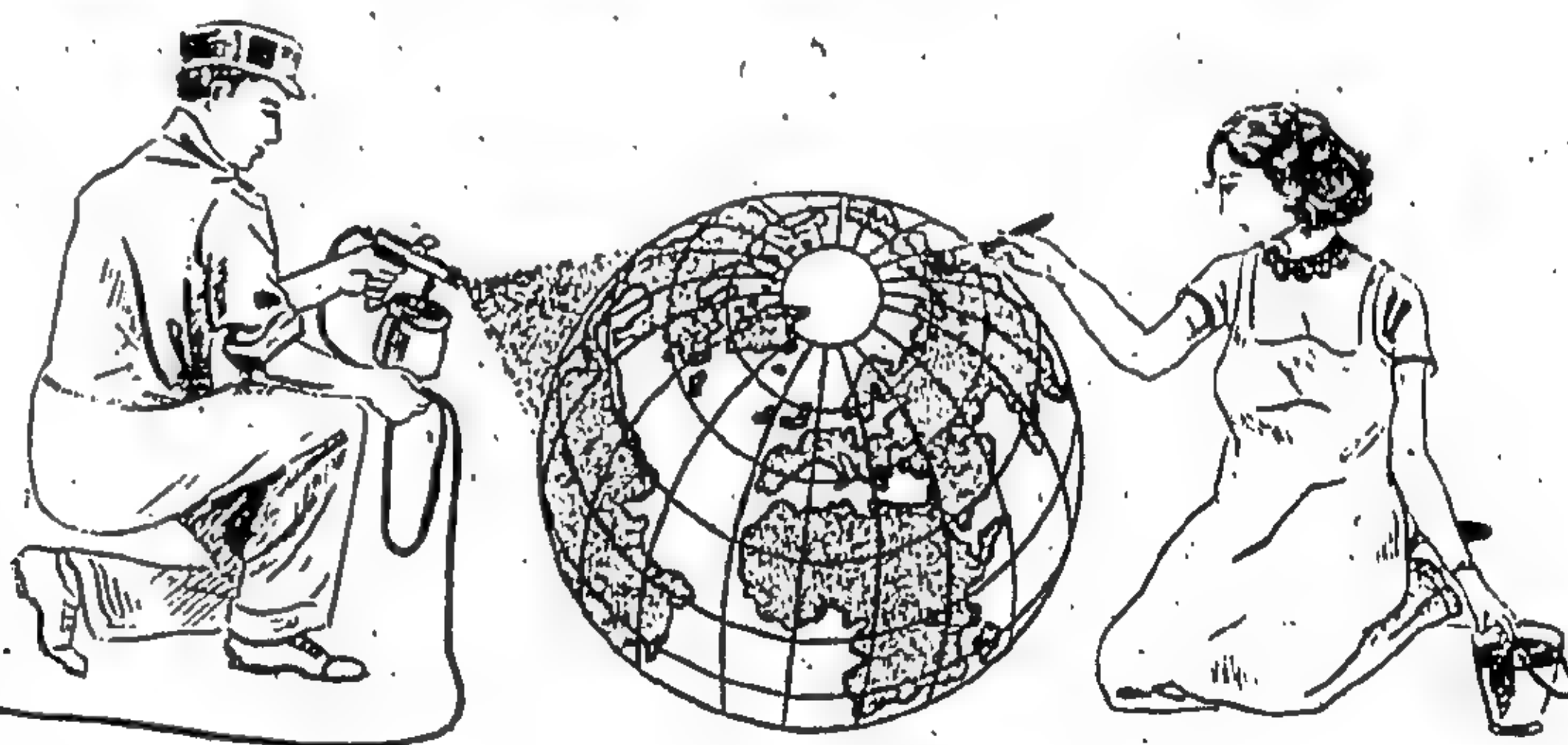
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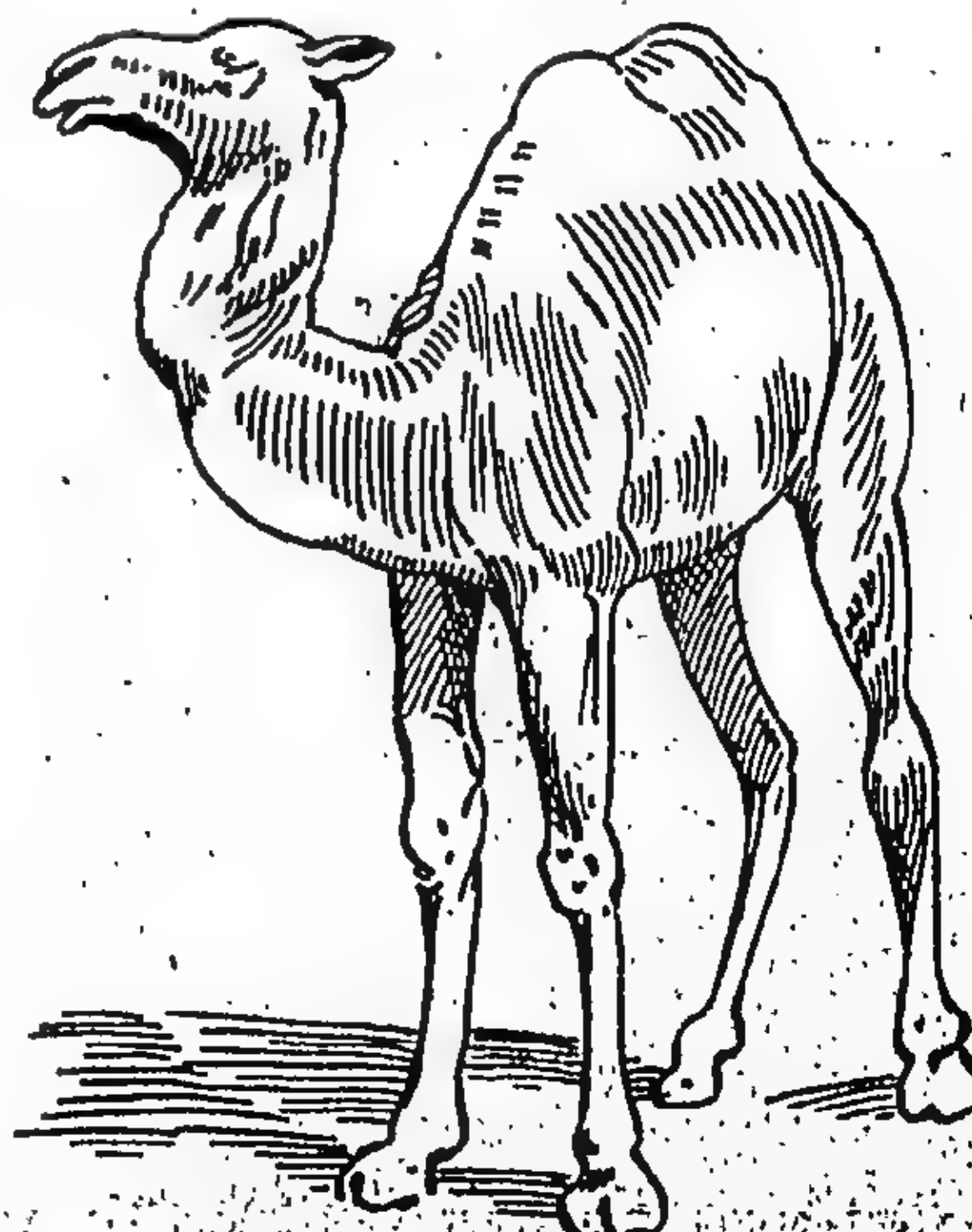
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INTERNATIONAL  
SPORT

The question whether international sports contests are not productive of more harm than good, which is to be debated locally this week, has claimed a great deal of attention lately. It has caused sportsmen of other times to indulge in melancholy reflections on present-day tendencies. These old-timers declare that in practically every sport nowadays, whether in the field, on the water, or indoors, explosions of the competitive spirit have become normal rather than exceptional. And, inevitably, they add that it was not so in the old days, when sportsmanship was a word with a real meaning, and tempers were kept well under control. Certainly the record of the last few years, in many departments of sport, has been a bad one. Football of both codes, tennis, boxing, golf, and other games have contributed to the long chain of "scenes" or episodes to which is usually applied the euphemism "regrettable." Cricket, which used to be synonymous with all that is fair and genial, has lately had its escutcheon sullied. And recently even yacht racing has come under a cloud. The only explanation that can be offered of the quarrelsomeness of sportsmen is that international or individual rivalries are becoming too keen, and that restraint and reticence are suffering in the process. The increase of publicity is a factor that must be taken into consideration when we attempt to compare sportsmanship to-day with that of earlier generations. To-day every "scene," whether in sport, in Parliament, or elsewhere, is recorded with the utmost speed and particularity, as if it were the "scenes," and not the quiet tempered parts of the proceedings, that mattered most. Further, publicity has tended to give some sportsmen an exaggerated sense of their importance, and to produce ebullitions of "temperament." But allowance must be made for the much larger number of competitors who now take part in sports of all sorts. The actual incidence of incidents, so to speak, may not be much greater in proportion than it used to be, though publicity, the microphone, and other ubiquitous ministers of modernity may make it appear so. But when all has been said by way of explanation or apology that can be said, the bald, disturbing fact remains that most people are inclined to take sport competitions too seriously and too often fail to put the soft pedal on their tempers. This is the more regrettable in international contests, for we like to think of the association of

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## "PEACE DAY"

It may be that British people, when they observe the two minutes' silence on November 11 and mark the sixteenth anniversary of the armistice which ended hostilities in the World War, will be possessed of a certain uneasiness for the future. It may be that they will feel that the world has learned little and forgotten much of the lesson which the War should have taught. With each year that they are removed from the horror of 1914-18 they may consider that the phrase "post-war" describes less accurately than "pre-war" the era in which they live. While sober observers refuse to discuss another war as imminent, they are reluctant to rule out the danger of conflict in the immediate future. And there are some, whose views, it is to be hoped, are not so rational, who believe that another world catastrophe is not only threatening but inevitable.

## GERMAN REVIVAL

In all fairness it must be admitted that Germany's desire to shake free of the fetters of armament limitation, in view of the heavy war-machines surrounding her, is not unnatural. Her revival as a great military power is the thing which worries many diplomats, however. That she has, in fact, already torn up certain clauses of the Treaty of Versailles is taken for granted. The clandestine German air force and its corresponding ground-work has been viewed as so formidable as to hasten co-operative agreements among powers which might be effected. Thus Britain and France throughout the year have discussed their common defence scheme on land and in the air.

## SEEKING ALLIANCES

Meanwhile France has reverted to her erstwhile ally in Russia and it is assumed that an agreement exists for joint action against Germany if the necessity arises. The Saar provides a dangerous situation at the present time and Austria is considered another point of menace, a powder barrel into which the spark of German-Italian-Yugo-Slavian rivalries may be tossed at any moment; and there are indications that Germany, Yugo-Slavia and others are arranging an alliance for their own protection. Alliances have been called the seeds of war, and if that be a truth, there is a good crop already sown in Europe. The fact is, however, that these alliances are not generally known to exist, if indeed they actually do, so that there is still a hope that the crop may be a failure. If it is, there surely will be no-one to complain. Unless, therefore, the situation alters materially before November 11, we shall still have something to be thankful for and may stand in silence for those two minutes without the tormenting fear that the peace of the world cannot last.

## PERSIAN POETS

As will have been seen by a news message recently, the British Government was represented at a luncheon held under the auspices of the Royal Central Asian Society in the House of Lords in memory of the great Persian poet, Firdausi, whose millenary is now being celebrated. The celebrations may do something to correct the popular impression that Omar Khayyam is the greatest of the Persian poets. It seems, says a writer in the London Observer, that in Persia they do not think much of Omar. His themes are lacking in dignity; his narrative is not coherent; his muse is short on the wing. On the other hand, Firdausi wrote a complete history of Persia in 60,000 verses at the rate of a gold-piece for each verse (he got only a silver one, but that was owing to an economical Treasurer). At all events, that was a Magnificent Opus, whereas Omar has written only a handful of epigrams, each halting along on four lines. It is difficult to judge between the two poets, for translations of Firdausi are few, and partial and difficult of access, whereas Firdausi is on every bookshelf. And it cannot be denied that the poet who writes of Love and Wine and Fate has an advantage over him who sings of Sapor and Chosroes. There is also the accident—one in a million—that Omar found a poet to translate (and occasionally supplement) him. In any proper system of reincarnation, the poet would reappear in a future century as his own translator.

the world's peoples on the sporting field as a valuable means of producing understanding and amity, instead of which it seems to have become a prolific source of rancour and antipathy.

STALIN IS RUSSIA'S  
MAN OF STEEL

By W. H. CHAMBERLAIN

AN observer with a statistical turn of mind set out to count the portraits which were displayed along a stretch of one of Moscow's main streets during last year's celebration of the anniversary of the Revolution on Nov. 7. The result of the count was impressive and significant. There were more portraits of Joseph Stalin than of Lenin and of all the present-day Bolshevik leaders, such as Kaganovich, Molotov and Voroshilov put together, with Marx and Engels, the pioneers of Socialism, thrown in.

This is only one of innumerable evidences of Stalin's predominant position in the Soviet Union. Stalin's name, along with that of Premier Molotov, appears on every outstanding government decree. He receives the most prolonged ovations on his rare public appearances. It is to him that letters recording the achievements of factories and collective farms are sent. His word of praise is most prized by the individual who may have earned distinction in some way.

The list of things that are named after him is almost as countless as the sands of the sea. They range from major enterprises, such as the White-Baltic Sea Canal, completed by prison labour under the supervision of the Gay-Pay-On, and the former Amo automobile plant, to obscure communes in remote country districts.

Stalin's grip on the direction of Soviet policy is absolute and all-pervading. It is an open secret that no important step in foreign policy is taken without his approval. He has been most prominently identified with the drive for rapid industrialisation and for the collectivisation of agriculture; and here again his imprint is to be seen on all the more significant measures in these fields.

We have the authority of D. Manuilsky, leading Russian Communist representative in the Executive Committee of the Communist International, that "not one document of great importance, possessing big international significance, has been issued by the Communist International without the most active participation of Stalin in its preparation." So Stalin's authority is little, if any, less absolute among Communists in foreign countries than it is in the Soviet Union.

A trait of Stalin's personality that seems worthy of more than incidental mention is his remarkable addiction to detail. Things that seem surprisingly small, by comparison with the larger problems in which he is engrossed, evidently come to his personal attention. Two illustrations of this point come to the writer's mind. The family of a Russian scientist was threatened with eviction under hard circumstances. When appeals to all the normal authorities failed, a direct message to Stalin brought an immediate response; the eviction was stopped. A foreign research worker found himself hampered by bureaucratic red tape in getting his material out of the country. Again the message to Stalin was effective; the red tape was cut away at one stroke.

Stalin to-day stands out, along with Mussolini and Hitler, as one of the three national leaders who

can speak in the name of solidly regimented masses of his fellow citizens.

It must be said that Stalin offers less ready material to the student of his personality than either Mussolini or Hitler. In striking contrast to the Italian dictator, he is anything but expansive; the interviews which he has granted for publication could be counted on the fingers of one hand; and he never contributes to the foreign press. And one searches in vain through his published writings for such flashes of personal self-revelation as one finds in Hitler's "Mein Kampf."

Stalin, like Lenin and Trotsky, is not an actual name but a revolutionary pseudonym, one of several under which Djugashvili, to call the Communist leader by his real name, went during the years when he was playing hide-and-seek with the Tsar's police. Birth and past activity are both powerful factors in determining personality and if one is searching for the riddle of Stalin's personality the pre-revolutionary period of his life cannot be neglected.

He was born in 1879 in the Georgian town of Gori, on the southern side of the main Caucasus region. It would perhaps not be fanciful to attribute some of Stalin's qualities of character, coolness, steadfastness, tactfulness, to the influence of the vast mountain ranges that loomed up in the distance from his birthplace.

A far stronger influence, no doubt, was the period of almost two decades, during which Stalin led the hunted life of an underground revolutionary. His parents had designed him for the priesthood and sent him to a theological seminary in Tiflis, but he was soon expelled on account of his interest in the forbidden ideas of Marxism. He took up the familiar routine of a revolutionary career at that time; distribution of illegal literature, secret organisation activity among the workers, clandestine conferences, all invariably leading to arrest, banishment to some remote spot in North Russia or Siberia, followed, in turn, by flight from the place of exile and resumption of the revolutionary work.

Stalin was sent into exile six times. Five times he succeeded in running away before his term had expired; only on the occasion of his last arrest was he sent to such a remote place, in the Turukhansk district of Siberia, that he was unable to flee and was enabled to return to Russia by the March Revolution in 1917, which overthrew the Tsar.

To return six times to revolutionary activity indicates a considerable store of will power and perseverance; and Stalin's perseverance was still more remarkable during the dark period of the revolutionary movement, after the defeat of the 1906 upheaval, when apathy and disillusionment were the order of the day and the thinning ranks of the revolutionary parties swarmed with provocateurs. Stalin's record during the pre-revolutionary period may be said to have earned for him his pseudonym, which means "steel" in Russian.

Stalin was a Bolshevik from the time when the Russian Social

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"Ah, yes, I remember her. She had golden curls and sat next to us in the sixth grade geography class."

## The Very Idea!

## DUMB-BELLES LETTRES

By Juliet Lovell.

No Dead Ones Here.

Mr. Chas. Keaton  
Portland, Oregon  
Dear Mr. Keaton:

It is a pleasure to answer your questions. At this moment, the sovereign state of Oklahoma has a State Chamber of Commerce, a Depression, Politics, Oil Wells, a State Militia, Wheat, Corn and Cotton.

We almost produced enough oil, wheat and cotton to pay our Government cost last year. Just a mere trifle of \$10,000,000 ah!

We have Indians, Buffaloes, Cow Boys, a couple of Will Rogers and a Lieutenant Governor. We always have Lieutenant Governors and sometimes we have Governors, but they don't usually last long.

Oklahoma offers a broader panorama of natural beauty and interesting people, than any state in the union. Our population is a live population, in fact, we bury them when they die in these parts.

Trusting you will feel better informed about our state upon receipt of this, I am,

Yours very truly,  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Ovid Neal  
(signed)  
Research Director

P. S. In regard to your last question, they are threatening to take our depression away from us.

Where did it go?  
To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby certify that Arthur Lee has been my gardener for over two years, and during that time he got more out of my garden than other man I ever employed.

Mrs. Robert S. B.  
(signed)



He got more out of my garden than any other man I ever employed.

Aunt Emma.

Dear George,  
I have been confined to house lately through a bad cough which I got through taking cold showers every morning same as Sandoz did, only he didn't catch a cold same as I did.

Now I am confined to house through calicoes which I got at the Fair. It was terrible to see all the old people trying to look young and going in for the slide and the merry-go-round. Mrs. Higgins won a packet of cigarettes with a shot showing her grasping nature. I didn't try it as I was without my spectacles.

I went down the slide when my nephew offered to pay for me but there was a hole in the road which showed it needed repair.

There were lots of people in the cars but as far as I could see they were mostly learner drivers and not too much of that either.

The Peninsula was full of Scotsmen who had preferred to pay for the dance and see the Big Free Act from the Hotel rather than pay to go into the Fair.

After the Fair I was glad to get on to our own attractions and after a trip on the ferry, I took a Peak tram and "So to bed" as Foepeke hath it.

The tattoo was very impressive I thought, but it seemed a pity they couldn't burn up bits of Wanchui instead of Moscow. After all Moscow wasn't much to do with us, was it?

I read that a young fellow has just married a corpse and really it just bears out what I said about the modern generation. What bothers me is whether he will be able to get a divorce and if so on what grounds. Anyway she couldn't have given her consent to the wedding so where do they stand?

Well if I can find a way of getting over these difficulties I may yet find myself getting a man after all these years.

Trust your loving  
Aunt Emma!

Springtime in Hollywood  
Ay tank ay lof you,  
Ay wis you were mine.  
Your eyes are so blue,  
Your lip so divine.  
Zat cupid, he go  
Put me on se spot.  
But marry you? No—  
Ay tank not.

Ay wis ay could say  
Zo tingz zat ay feel;  
Ay tink, every day,  
"Zere goes my ayeal."  
Ze year's at se spring;  
Ay lof you a lot,  
But make you my sing!  
Ay tank not.



## RUBBER CONTROL NOW POSSIBLE

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## SIAM PROBLEM A DIFFICULTY

London, Nov. 4.

The rubber quota compromise between Great Britain and Holland has met with a mixed reception, according to the *Financial Times* Amsterdam correspondent.

While some quarters believe that the ensuing increased exports will cause a lowering of prices, it is admitted that this compromise was the only way of solving the native rubber producers' problem, unless the Dutch East Indies Government could have altered the present relation between the estate and native quotas.

Dutch Government circles hope that the native output can at last be controlled by means of this move which gives the island growers a greater share of the market.

It is hoped that the International Committee will tackle the question of Siamese production at the earliest possible moment, especially in view of the danger of smuggling from that source.—*Reuter*.

## ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCE

## CONTRACTOR IN THE DOCK

Dressed in a brown check coat, with a white open neck shirt and grey flannels, Lam Tin, 22, master of the Tin Lai Paint firm of contractors, faced Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning on charges of attempting to obtain sums of \$1, \$5 and \$5, respectively, from the accountant of the Wai Chau Tea-house, the master of the Tin Pak Wine shop, and a feld of the Tak Heung Tea-house, by pretending that he was an interpreter of the Sanitary Department and had been instructed to collect the sums on behalf of the department.

In asking for \$5,000, the defendant in police custody, Detective Sergeant Baldwin, for the prosecution, mentioned that "there has been a lot of this going on", and it was possible the police might clear up a few cases.

In connection with the same case, Shu Chi-ming, 35, unemployed seaman, was charged with impersonating a police officer for the purpose of effecting the release of Lam Tin, who was in lawful custody.

"We think there is some connection between the two of them," remarked Sergeant Baldwin, in applying for a remand.

Both defendants were remanded for 48 hours in police custody.

## JAPANESE LEAVING

Peking, Nov. 5.

The Japanese garrison troops at Malanyu, inside the Great Wall, are prepared to evacuate on Nov. 11, while the majority of Japanese planes at Hsifengchow and Lungkow have flown back to Jehol leaving only five planes there. The Manchukuo troops stationed at Tunghing have also commenced evacuation, handing over control of that area to the Chinese Public Safety Guards.—*Central News*.

## RAUB DIVIDEND

The Hongkong Stock Exchange have received a cable from Messrs. Derrick & Co., Local Secretaries in Singapore of the Raub Australian Gold Mining, Ltd., announcing the declaration of a third interim dividend of 6d. per share for the year ending March 31, 1935, payable on December 15, 1934.

The possession of 21 poppy lottery tickets, caused a fine of \$20, with the alternative of three weeks' imprisonment, to be imposed upon Chan Yee, alias Wong Chan-chi, 42, year-old widow, who she appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning. Defendant was arrested at Canton Road Peking Road on Sunday, and the tickets were found in her possession.

The Court Interpreter at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court saw a man at the back of the Court smoking a cigarette this morning. The culprit, Chi Yuen, who pleaded that he did not know the regulations, was fined \$3, or, in default, three days' imprisonment, by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones.



During aerial manoeuvres in Barcelona recently, a plane crashed in one of the streets, the pilot and his assistant being injured.

## GROWING FAMILY OF CHURCH

## INCREASING FASTER THAN POPULATION

Chicago, Nov. 4.

Church membership in the United States has multiplied four times faster than the population, it was reported at a National conference of religious faiths.

Catholic, Protestant and Jewish leaders, celebrating "a century of Progress in religion," heard reports that religious worship had kept pace with the progress of science, invention and social welfare since 1800.

Dr. George Linn Kieffer, president of the Association of Statisticians of American Religious bodies, said that while the Nation's population was increasing 22-fold during the last 134 years, church memberships increased 80-fold.

"Approximately half the nation's entire population is definitely related to some church," he said, "and thousands of others maintain personal religious traditions through marriage, burial and other religious rites without acknowledging church membership."

Weekly attendances of Protestant and Catholic churches and Jewish synagogues was estimated at 30,000,000 persons with about 150,000 new members being added each week.

DEBTS DECREASED.

Dr. Herman C. Weber, editor of the Year Book of American

## MANILA STOCK EXCHANGE

## PHILIPPINE GOLD SHARE QUOTATIONS

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:—

Price	Price	Price	Price
Philippine Gold Mining	0.32	0.32	0.32
Manila Consolidated	1.10	1.00	1.00
Gold River	0.18	0.17	0.18
100 Gold Mines	1.10	1.00	1.00
United Mining Co.	0.30	0.30	0.30
Manila Mining Co.	0.14	0.13	0.14
Manila Consolidated	0.30	0.29	0.30
United Pacific	0.25	0.25	0.25
R. C. & P. Gold share Index	70.4	Market	70.4

Churches, said the debts on 232-154 church properties, have been reduced "to the surprisingly low figure of 11 per cent." of the properties' value.

Catholic leaders said that enrollment in their parochial schools gained 100 per cent. in the last 25 years, while public school enrollment had gained only about 50%.

Mr. H. Paul Douglas, former director of the Institute of Social and Religious research, reported the following "outstanding trends" in religious affairs: 1. Relatively fewer denominations than existed a century ago; 2. A slight gain in the proportion of men joining churches; 3. Rapid shifts in population from country to city, have provided churches with a major problem.—*United Press*.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

MEN DO NOT SUSPECT FAULTS WHICH THEY DO NOT COMMIT.—*Dr. Johnson*.

Members of St. Andrew's Society attending the annual Ball are invited to the Joint Hon. Secretaries as early as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kotewall arriving a reception at their residence, Hutton House, Kotewall Road, on the 20th inst. on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Phoebe, to Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hung Tze-ye.

A fine of ten dollars, or fourteen days' imprisonment, was imposed by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning on Cheung Lam, 23, for stealing ten plates and a chopper from No. 2 Calder Path, the residence of Mr. S. Kakami, of the Japanese Consulate Office.

Lam Yee, a widow, aged 65, was fined \$3, or five days' hard labour, by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning for aiding and abetting her blind grandson, aged 13 years, to beg for alms in Canton Road. The boy was sent to the Juvenile Remand Home for five days on a charge of begging.

Two cases of possession of poppy lottery tickets were dealt with by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning, both defendants being women. Fan Ho, 21, a widow, charged with the possession of 847 Maeco tickets, was fined \$100, or ten months' hard labour, while Chan Yee, aged 50, was fined \$50 with the alternative of one month, for the possession of 277 tickets.

As a result of fighting in Salisbury Road, near the Kowloon Wharf and Godowns on Saturday, two coolies, Ma Ping, 37 years, and Ma Kwai-ching, 24 years, were brought before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, and were bound over in the sum of \$25 for a period of six months. Sub-Inspector Rodewsky, appearing for the prosecution, stated that the fight arose over a quarrel about a debt.

Hu Wah, 24 years, unemployed, was charged with breaking into No. 49 Canton Street, ground floor, and stealing \$750, two women's long coats, and a quantity of cigarettes, the property of Siu Chak-tin, master of the Sam Yick shop, and Siu Wah, a 17-year-old girl. Defendant was seen coming out of the house at 4 a.m. on October 30, and he was chased and caught in his possession. A found a silk dress, and \$4.40, the rest of the money apparently being lost while he was running. His Worship sentenced him to two months' hard labour.

## MONGOLIANS WILL MEET GEN. CHIANG

BETTER RELATIONS ENVISAGED

## GENERAL'S TRIP TO KALGAN

Kalgan, Nov. 5.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek and party returned here from Chang-pai this evening, after obtaining an impression of the general conditions in the town.

General Soong Tse-yuen held a dinner party at Government House this evening, in honour of the Generalissimo and other visitors.

Taking advantage of his presence here, Prince Yun Wang and Prince Teh Wang, leaders of the Mongolian Administration, intend to come from Peking to meet Marshal Chiang. Their interview with the Generalissimo is expected to result in substantial contribution toward strengthening the relations between Mongolia and the Central Government.—*Central News*.

Peking, Nov. 4.

Marshal and Madame Chiang Kai-shek, accompanied by General Soong Tse-yuen, Governor of Chahar Province, and party, arrived here this morning and were given an enthusiastic welcome by a large crowd at the railway station.

The Generalissimo and General Soong immediately drove to Chang-pai, a small town to the north of Kalgan, for a brief visit, while Madame Chiang took a motor trip around the suburbs of Kalgan for enjoyment of the scenery outside the Great Wall. The Generalissimo is expected to return to Kalgan this evening.—*Central News*.

## LARCENY BY FINDING

## ACTOR'S MISSING CLOTHING

Appearing before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, Tang Hung, unemployed, was charged with the theft of a leather suitcase containing 24 articles of clothing and two books, the property of Li Hung-on, an actor, and Ngan Shi-chong, a married woman, from the Po Hing Theatre.

It was stated by a Chinese detective that the defendant was seen near No. 366 Nathan Road at 1.45 p.m., yesterday. He was carrying a bag on the end of a pole. The detective followed him to the corner of Park Street and Saigon Street, where he stopped and questioned him. The defendant told the detective that the bag contained paper and books, which he had found in the stairway of a house in Mow Lam Street.

An examination of the bag brought to light only a piece of paper, two books, clothing and two pieces of iron, and the detective, not being satisfied with the explanation, took defendant to the place where it was alleged the things had been found, and then took him to the police station. Investigations at the house in Mow Lam Street revealed that nothing had been stolen from there, but the clothing was later identified by the complainants.

Altering the charge to larceny by finding, his Worship remarked:—"You should have gone upstairs and made enquiries." Defendant was then sentenced to two months' hard labour.

Detective-Sergeant Allen appeared for the prosecution. Defendant had two previous convictions.

## JAPANESE GOODS

## FEATURES OF LOCAL EXHIBITION

Kyoto products figure in the exhibition of samples of Japanese merchandise, which was opened at the Nippon Club, Des Voeux Road Central, to-day.

Businessmen studying recent trade trends will find much to interest them in this display, embodying, as it does, a majority of lines that have come into prominence. Of these, art silk, or rayon, has secured a leading position in international trade statistics, and is here represented by patterns of characteristic designs proclaiming its origin but without detracting from a higher quality with which Japanese products in general are now credited. Possibilities of Japanese competition in a new direction are suggested by the extensive display of necktie material, the artificial silk used in manufacture, as well as designs executed, comparing well with more expensive lines.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Relay of the South Wales Borderers' Band.

## Z.E.K. PROGRAMME.

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles). 5-8 p.m. European Programme. 5-6 p.m. (Approx.) A Relay of the Band of the 1st Batts South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster C. Eldicott, A.R.C.M., from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of Lieut. Colonel H.E. Williams, D.S.O., M.C.

6-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden. 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations. 7.08-7.40 p.m. Concert Items. Violin Solo—En Bateau (Bonting) (Debussy).

Violin Solo—La Fille Aux Cheveux de Lin (The Maiden with Flaxen Hair) (Debussy). Fritz Kreisler. Song—Annie Laurie. Song—Alton Water (Robert Burns). Mary Garden (Soprano). Pianoforte Solo—Paganini Etude in E Flat Major (Paganini—Liszt). Pianoforte Solo—Children's Corner Suite (Debussy)—Serenade for the Doll.

Vladimir Horowitz. Song—The Lute Player (Allisen). Song—The Floral Dance (Mass). Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone). Cello Solo—Mazurka, Op. 11, No. 3. (Poppo).

Pablo Casals. 7.40-8 p.m. From the Studio. A Talk on "The Journey Home via Siberia" by Miss F. W. Brown. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 8.02-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London, 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations. 10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid-day Press News, etc. Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations. 10.40 p.m. Close Down.

All Relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestras are by courtesy of the Management.

## Z.E.K. PROGRAMME.

European recorded programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 610 k.c. 8.30-8.55 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Invitation to the Waltz (Weber, Op. 65).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski. Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss).

Bruno Walter and Symphony Orchestra. The Skaters—Waltz (Waldteufel). Etude—Waltz (Waldteufel). International Concert Orchestra. 8.55-9.30 p.m. Variety Programme. Organ Solo—It was so Beautiful. Organ Solo—The Clouds will soon roll by.

Quentin M. Maclean. Song—Why don't they leave us alone? Song—I was in the Mood.

Hildegard (Soprano). Song—The Very Thought of You. Song—A Place in your Heart.

Vocal—Musical Comedy Marches. Light Opera Company. 9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m. Band Music. Ruy Blas Overture (Hendelssohn). Tancrède Overture (Rossini). The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

Carmen Caprice (Bizet—arr. Debroy Somers). Faust Follies (Gounod—arr. Debroy Somers).

Debroy Somers Band. Hyde Park Suite (Julowicz). Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

1. Sunday Morning Church Parade. 2. Rotten Row. 3. On the Serpentine. 4. Around the Bandstand. 10 p.m. Close Down.

## ZEESEN PROGRAMMES.

This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Wave.

Special programme for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast to-night by DWA on 31.30 metres as under: 9 p.m. Opening Announcement. German Folk Song Programme—Foreword (German, English).

9.15 a.m. Light Music. 9.20 p.m. Sports Review. 9.45 p.m. News in English. 10 p.m. Programme of Light Music. 11 p.m. Books for the Leisure Hour. 11.30 p.m. News in German. 11.50 p.m. "Echoes from the Home Land." Schwaben. Sequence by E. v. d. Becke. 12.15 a.m. News in English. 12.30 a.m. Close down.

expensive lines. Japanese ingenuity has exerted itself in finding a new use for paper, which, spun into threads, is commercially transformed into hand-bags, pouches, table cloths, etc. Art silk thread woven into pictures and letters also occupy a prominent place in the display, which, amongst other things, include hard and metal wares, soaps and chemicals, curios, and, least looked-for, porcelain teath.

The exhibition is described as being "The Fifth Circular Sample Exhibition" from which it is inferred that the display is of samples being sent by leading Kyoto merchants periodically through the chief cities of the world.

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# KEEN STRUGGLE FOR LEADERSHIP OF LEAGUES

## MELBOURNE ROWING

### LONDON CLUB EIGHT'S SUCCESS

Melbourne, Nov. 4. The Duke of Gloucester was the magnet that drew nearly half a million people to the banks of the River Yarra yesterday afternoon, when the annual Henley-on-the-Yarra, the Victorian counterpart of Henley-on-the-Thames, was held in glorious Spring sunshine.

The river carnival, which was held on a much grander scale than hitherto owing to the Melbourne Centenary celebrations, witnessed some exciting aquatic and rowing events.

The London Rowing Club's eight, which came from England specially for the occasion, defeated the New Zealand eight in the final for the Grand Challenge Cup, the British team winning by four lengths in 4 minutes 37 seconds, which is only one second outside the record for the event. —*Reuter*.

## League Cricket

### A. P. Pereira Skittles Army Wickets

The Club de Recreo made an impressive debut in the First Division of the Cricket League, when they engaged the Army eleven at King's Park on Saturday, and although they lost by 14 runs they gave the Army a fright.

The strong military eleven were dismissed for only 53 runs, A. P. Pereira, the Recreo fast bowler, claiming six wickets for 23. It was an exceedingly fine performance for his first League match in the Senior Division, and among his victims were Lt. J. P. Williams, Lt. Garthwaite, Capt. D. B. Mitchell, Capt. Welch and Corporal Colgate.

The Recreo's batting, however, collapsed before some steady bowling, and they were dismissed for 69 runs. Elvin, the Army slow left-hander, was most successful, with the ball, taking four wickets for 21 runs, while Tucker captured three for 15.

**SECOND DIVISION.** Steady bowling by F. Hipolito (three for 33) and P. B. Tata (four for five) gave the University a narrow victory by ten runs over the Royal Army Medical Corps in a Junior Division league match at Pokfulam.

The University had first lease of the wicket, and were all dismissed for 70 runs, towards which K. T. Loke contributed 22. Saunders captured three wickets for seven, while three other bowlers met with success. Hipolito and Tata, however, found a length, and the Medicals fell short of the University total by ten runs. Snook alone withstood the steady attack, scoring 32.

Leading performers were:—

**BATTING.**  
77—S. A. Jamal (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
73—H. F. Westlake (C.S.C.C.) v Royal Navy.  
65—A. S. Saffell (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
65—R. H. Griffith (C.S.C.C.) v Royal Navy.  
48—Capt. Cutler (Royal Navy) v C.C.C.  
44—Wateridge (R.E.) v Police.  
38—L. D. Kilbee (I.R.C.) v Married (Single) v Married.  
35—A. J. L. (I.R.C.) v C.C.C.  
35—W. Meadows (Police) v R.E.  
35—J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.) v I.R.C.  
35—A. H. Rumjahn (I.R.C.) v Police.  
32—Snook (R.A.M.C.) v Univer.

## STRONG CHALLENGE BY THE CLUB

### SOUTH CHINA "A" HOLDING SLIGHT ADVANTAGE

### WEEK-END MATCHES

A three clear goal victory over St. Joseph's yesterday placed South China "A" on a level point footing with that club's "B" team but with a game in hand. South China "A" have yet to lose a point while the "B" team have two draws chalked up against them in their analysis.

The Borderers, despite the fact that they lost the services of two of their players through injury during their game with the Police, forced a draw.

The Lincolns and the R. A. are still struggling for supremacy in the Second Division, each holding an unbeaten record to-date. During the week-end both teams recorded wins against Kowloon and the Club respectively.

The Royal Navy, by defeating the Club de Recreo by four goals to two on Saturday, won their first match of the season in the Senior Division.

The Club look like becoming strong challengers to South China "A" for leadership in the premier soccer league, judging by their present form.

They have a very useful side, this year and in six games have not returned to their Clubhouse to chalk up a defeat. They have won three matches and drawn three.

On Saturday, on the military ground at Happy Valley, the Club met the Royal Artillery seniors and won by two goals to nil.

Albert Howe scored both goals, but the Club centre-forward who heads the senior division list of goal-scorers, did not have matters his own way. Howe was hounded by the soldiers' defence.

### DISORGANISED FORWARDS.

A disorganised forward line handicapped the Artillery tremendously. Nash being unable to turn out at the eleventh hour, Leach, who had just finished playing a second division game was brought in, but despite this weakness, the military team were on the offensive for the majority of the game.

Their forwards, however, lacked stinging in front of goal and in this way many glorious opportunities of finding the net went amiss.

From the initial kick-off, Artillery rushed the Club's goal, and George Rodger was called on to save a hot shot from Pardoe.

The first goal of the match came when Howe, dribbling past two of the Artillery defenders, scored with a magnificent shot in the bottom right hand corner of the net.

The second goal was scored in the early stages of the second period of the game. S. Strange sent in a terrific shot which struck the upright and rebounded into play. Howe got his head to the ball and sent it past Durham into the net.

The Club's goal, however, underwent heavy attacks, Rodger having to give of his best in his clearances. A shot from Smith, the Interport custodian punched over the bar, while Pardoe sent in a hard shot from near the penalty kick spot, but Rodger's safe hands were there.

A good exhibition of football was served up in the game between the South China "A" and St. Joseph's at Caroline Hill yesterday.

South China, winning the toss, had the sun behind them during the greater part of the game, but did not have matters all their own way for the Saints put up a strong resistance in the first half of the game, no scores resulting.

South China's superiority in the second half was responsible for the final result of a three-nil victory in their favour.

From the start the home team began to apply pressure and Fung King-cheung put one over the bar, and in a subsequent melee David Leonard was accidentally kicked in the eye by Lau Chung-kwan. Fernandez took the ball through, but Li Tin-sang taking matters easily cleared.

Exchanges then sent the ball to mid-field where a movement from Loung In-chun put Fung King-cheung in possession of the ball, to send a pot shot over the bar.

A free kick against the Saints was of no avail, Costa clearing smartly. Then from a combined movement from the Saints half-back line Araa rushed through too quickly and kicked wide. Play was transferred to the other end where Tam took a pot-shot from 25 yards out which Wong Lim cleared not too confidently.

The Saints were then sending some beautiful passes to the forwards and from a scramble Araa narrowly missed, Wong Ming clearing. From throw-in the ball was passed to the goal mouth and cleared by Leonard who up to then was impenetrable.

**HAPHAZARD KICKING.** Tso Kwai-shing inter took possession of the ball and lost it through

a good tucke again by Leonard. Both teams then began to show the effect of the pace and the heat and haphazard kicking and clearing resulted. When half-time was signalled, no score had been registered.

On the resumption both teams showed their freshness. South China especially pressing with an indication of an impending score.

An error by Elma sent the ball right on to Tam's foot for him to send down a nice first-timer over the bar.

Ip Pak-wa, who was two well watched in the first half to be really effective was next conspicuous and dashed with speed past Leonard to send in a drive against the bar. In the scramble for possession Wong Lim fell with the ball at the goal mouth and in the excitement pushed the ball into the net.

A good centre from Tso Kwai-shing went to Tam Kwong-pak who transferred to Fung King-cheung for the latter to send in a hard drive in the left hand corner which had Wong Lim beaten all the way.

The Saints began to play a losing game, being discouraged by this consistent pressure and Lee Kwok-wai sent in a hard shot which struck the post and bounced back to him. A Saint's player was pulled up for an infringement and Lee narrowly missed.

From another free kick Fung drove hard but Wong Lim cleared in brilliant style. Lau took charge and kicked over the bar but immediately after he received a pass from Lee Kwok-wai, who headed in a beauty for the third goal of the game.

Pressure was kept up by South China until the end, the ball seldom leaving the Saints area. The whistle soon sounded with the score of three nil after a fast and clean game which was a true reflection of the run of play.

**CLUB "A" TROUNCED.** The Navy "A" XV did a great deal of scoring in their encounter with the Club juniors to win by five goals, one penalty goal, one try (31 points) to one goal, one penalty goal, one try (11 points).

Wallace scored the first try which Davidson converted and shortly afterwards Pack-Beresford went over for Mid. Poulton to add the extra. Before half-time Poulton converted a try by Matthews.

The Club improved after the interval and Cummings scored for Castleton to majorise. Castleton landed a beautiful penalty goal before the Navy increased their score with tries by Warren and Wallace which were converted by Poulton. Play fluctuated and Smith added a try to the Club's score. Before the end Warren landed a penalty goal for the Navy and also went over wide of the posts for an unconverted try.

**FRIENDLIES.** The Club de Recreo met the "Inconquitos" in a friendly hockey match at the Marina ground yesterday. The game resulted in a draw, one goal being scored by each side. No scoring occurred in the first half, but in the second J. M. Pinto netted for the "Inconquitos" while H. A. Alves scored for the Recreo.

**RADIO WIN.** The Radio Sports Club "Cosmo" hockey team defeated H.M.S. Wild

by a goal to nil in a friendly encounter at Caroline Hill on Saturday.

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## LOCAL HOCKEY

## SOCCER CHATTER

### CAER CLARK CUP GAMES

The Hongkong Ladies, champions in the Caer Clark Cup hockey competition, were on Saturday defeated by the Central British Association Ladies by one goal to nil, after a well-contested game at King's Park. Miss E. Woolley, the centre forward, scored for the winners in the second half. The match produced some spirited hockey, the winners assuming the attack and but for their efforts, the score would have been greater.

The Central British Association Ladies' forward line combined better than that of their opponents, and were always a source of danger. Miss Hunt specially deserves praise for her fine work on the left wing.

**A GOALLESS DRAW.** The meeting between the Club de Recreo Ladies and the "Y" Ladies at King's Park resulted in a goalless draw after an interesting match. The Recreo Ladies were lucky to escape defeat, being practically the whole of the game were on the defensive.

The "Y" Ladies attacked frequently, but could not pierce the Recreo defence. Miss G. Ross, the Recreo goal-keeper, was brilliant and on many occasions saved her side.

**ST. ANDREW'S LADIES WIN.** The St. Andrew's Ladies gained a convincing victory over the Central British Schoolgirls by five goals to nil on the Marina ground.

Miss M. Woolley netted three goals, while Miss P. Gittins scored two in the second half.

The Schoolgirls showed up very well in the game, but they lacked unity, and all their attacks on the St. Andrew's goal were broken up by a steady half line.

**MAMAK MATCH.** H.M.S. Whitehall in their third game out of four met the United Hockey Club in a Mamak Hockey match at the Police Training School ground on Saturday. The match resulted in a draw, no goals being scored.

At the start the United launched an attack, but this ended through an infringement of the off-side rule. From this early game, both sides adopted the one back game and many attacks were thus easily repulsed.

Exchanges were first owing to the hard ground, and Davies went close with a shot which struck the upright. It seemed apparent that the second set of posts were confusing the naval players. Despite repeated corners conceded by the United the naval players never looked like scoring, and the half-time whistle ended with no goals scored.

Determination marked the opening of the second half, with Whitehall continually pressing, but the forwards failed to turn to advantage the splendid work of their halves.

In the closing stages the United made another attempt to secure the points, but Whitehall's defence rose to the occasion and quelled the attack.

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## LOCAL HOCKEY

## SOCCER CHATTER

By defeating the R.A. on Saturday the Club have placed themselves within striking distance of the South China teams, which are at the head of the table.

**SOUTH CHINA "A" and "B" teams** are leading the Senior Division with the same number of points.

**THE Navy** recorded their first win in the Senior Division after a thrilling game with the Club de Recreo.

**THE Lincolns**, by virtue of their win on Saturday, moved up to the top of the Second Division table.

**FUNG King-cheung** and **Tam Kwong-pak's** combination proved to be a true to reputation.

**RAS, St. Joseph's** now find from Malaysia was not up to expectation, being weak both in distribution and tackling.

**SOUZA** and **Leonard** combined splendidly and not until the second half could the Chinese attack get past them.

**WITH** the exception of the blunder he made in pushing the ball into his own goal Wong Lim acquitted himself before the attack of South China.

**COSTA**, centre-half of the Saints, was always on the right spot, intercepting well timed passes, and feeding the Saints forwards.

**TAY** Quai-long's absence was noticeable, his substitute Lau Chung-kwan needing more polish and speed.

**J. W. Pote-Hunt**, in the pivotal position for the Club, played a very hard game, swinging the ball with precision.

**RUPERT Baldwin**, on the left wing, was inclined to be slow, but E. Strange at inside-left was responsible for some clever play. He had hard luck not to lay his claim to the second goal.

**SID** Strange and Gamble, the Club backs, were steady but G. Rodger, the goalkeeper, was the most outstanding player in the civilians' defence. Time and again, he brought off magnificent saves with shots that looked like certain goals.

**PARDOE**, the Interporter, played good football in the pivotal position for the Artillery. His tackling was neat and he fed his forwards with well-placed passes. He was the pick of the team.

**THE** full backs, Wroo and Clancy, rose to the occasion and repulsed the Club's attacks.

**IN** goal for the Artillery, Durham also brought off some spectacular saves.

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## HOW THEY STAND IN THE TABLES

### Division I.

S. China "A"	3	St. Joseph's	0
S. China "B"	2	H. K. Police	2
R. Navy	4	Kowloon F.C.	2
Hongkong F.C.	2	Club de Rec.	0
R.A.	0		0

### League Tables.

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W. Borderers	5	2	2	1	14	10	6
East Lancashires	5	1	3	1	10	8	5
Chinese Ath.	4	1	2	1	18	11	4
Hong Kong							

### Division II.

Chinese Ath.	2	S. China	0
E. Lancs	3	Eastern Ath.	1
Lincoln Regt.	5	Kowloon F.C.	1
R.A.	4	Hongkong F.C.	1
University F.C.	4	Young Indians	2
R. Navy	4	S.W. Borderers	2

### League Tables.

# Division II.

China Ath.	2	S. China	0
Lancs.	3	Eastern Ath.	1
Lincoln Regt.	5	Kowloon F.C.	1



## Local Race Results

## ELECTRIC STAR'S WIN

The following are the results of Saturday's Race meeting:—

1. **Sussex Handicap**. Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, subscription of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes. To be ridden by jockeys who have won ten races anywhere at any time. Six Furlongs.

230 L. & L. Delightful Chance 162 lb. (P. F. L.) 1  
162 lb. (P. F. L.) 1  
235 H.S.Y.'s Chesterfield 147 lb. (C. Taylor) 2  
238 L. P. Chun's In Good Time 103 lb. (Choy Wing Chiu) 3  
Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 1:33.1. Winner \$42.50; places \$25.00; \$13.00.

2. **Nullah Nullah Plate**. Six Furlongs.

247 Pau's Saucy Face 152 lb. (Ip Kul Ying) 1  
246 Mrs. Stanton's Dinky 152 lb. (N. Deltz) 2  
246 H.E. Sir William Peel's Nell 155 lb. (D. A. Proulx) 3

Won by a neck; a head.  
Time: 1:19.3 (record).  
Parimutuel: Winner \$27.10; places \$7.70; \$4.40; \$2.70.

3. **Hongkong Griffin Cup**. One and a Quarter Miles.

219 Kang Bros' Electric Star 161 lb. (E. O. Butler) 1  
250 Hem's Gladiator 158 lb. (R. H. Chong) 2  
253 L. Shiu Pang's Soldier of China 161 lb. (S. N. Paul) 3

Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:24.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$8.60; places \$5.10; \$3.30; \$2.00.

4. **Kent Handicap**. Seven Furlongs.

207 Tester & Abraham's The Tiger 162 lb. (E. O. Butler) 1  
204 L. & L. R. Boy 157 lb. (N. Deltz) 2  
203 L. L. Wayward King 161 lb. (A. L. Caplan) 3

Won by 2 lengths; half a length.  
Time: 1:46.3.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$16.30; places \$7.70; \$4.70; \$2.70.

5. **Suffolk Handicap**. (Second Section). One Mile.

272 L. R. Chivalrous 155 lb. (X. T. Fung) 1  
285 Ulster's Warrington 168 lb. (A. J. P. Heard) 2  
277 H. Y. Liang's Iron Grey 159 lb. (Deltz) 3

Won by a head; short head.  
Time: 2:07.4.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$28.10 (War-rington); \$10.80 (Chivalrous); places \$10.10 (Warrington); \$11; \$9.80.

6. **Surrey Handicap**. (About One Mile 171 Yards).

289 L. Dunbar's Glenaville 150 lb. (D. A. Proulx) 1  
291 Dunbar's King's Bounty 155 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 2  
292 Dunbar's King's Warden 161 lb. (A. J. P. Heard) 3

Won by 3 lengths; dead heat.  
Time: 2:11.2.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$13.40; places \$6.80; \$4.90; \$2.70.

7. **Suffolk Handicap**. One Mile.

311 Tally Ho's West Parade 164 lb. (A. J. P. Heard) 1  
303 Mrs. Dunbar's Chief Seattle 166 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 2  
297 Mrs. Dunbar's Chief Seattle 166 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 3

Won by a neck; a neck.  
Time: 2:05.4.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$16.70; places \$8.35; \$4.90; \$2.70.

8. **Ballarat Handicap**. (About One Mile 171 Yards).

314 H. S. Chan's Australian Boy 155 lb. (W. H. S. Davis) 1  
315 Dr. S. N. Chan's Empire Day 160 lb. (H. H. S. Davis) 2  
316 S. L. K. K. Glorious Star 149 lb. (E. O. Butler) 3

Won by 4 lengths; 2 lengths.  
Time: 2:00.1.  
Parimutuel: Winner \$5.80; places \$5.10; \$3.10.

## Daily Double Results.

The combination of The Tiger and West Parade gave 274 backers \$27.50 in the "daily double".

First Leg:—

Beta (4), Bistre (30), Daylight Eve (28), Flying Tourist (194), Jungle Jim (28), King's Worthy (7), Lemberg (66), Monoplane (71), Pride of Tsingtao (10), Racing Boy (331), Racing Luck (7), Spinnaway (85), The Tiger (271), Valorous (84), Wayward Star (64), and Zero (37).

Second Leg:—

Boxing Eve (5), Chief Seattle (8), Fudge (1), Glad Eyes (50), Gold Bullion (9), Gold Currency (9), Great Hall (9), Heart's Glory (2), King's

## GRATIFYING ENTRY FOR BADMINTON LEAGUE

## Twenty-Two Teams Promise to Take Part

## ELEVEN IN MEN'S DOUBLES

## Recreio Enter Half Dozen Combinations

(By Veritas)

The entries officially closed last week, and although the inability of the Jockey Club to take part, and the silence of the Engineers' Institute and St. John's Cathedral Club have been disappointments, two pleasant surprises were given by the Chinese Recreation Club and the Police Recreation Club, who at the last minute indicated their desire to join the Association and to participate in its activities.

The C.R.C., of course, have benefited by the withdrawal of the Jockey Club, and are absorbing their players including S. W. Liang and F. H. Kwok. It is also probable that W. C. Choy will also line up with his old Jockey Club colleagues.

The Police have made provisional entry, but the keenness is there, and the Inspector General of Police has already given his warm approval. They have a court erected in the gymnasium at Central Head-quarters, which the Fire Brigade Club will be sharing with them.

RECREIO'S SIX TEAMS.

The Club de Recreio, one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the game here have more than fulfilled expectations by entering two teams in each of the three divisions. They are the only club to adopt this bold step, but it is one that will be appreciated by all players, pointing as it does, to the astonishing development of the game among the Portuguese.

At present eight clubs are competing in the men's doubles, but this does not include the provision-ary entries of the Police and the Y.M.C.A. The latter feel confident that they will be able to turn out a team, but are not yet in a position definitely to state so.

With the Police and Y.M.C.A., and the two Recreio teams, the men's doubles will comprise eleven teams. There is also every reason to believe that the Engineers' Institute will come up to scratch, which will make this division up to a dozen in strength.

STRONG M. D. SUPPORT.

The Mixed Doubles has also been extraordinarily well supported. The Recreio (two teams), Kowloon Cricket Club, St. Andrew's, Fire Brigade, Chinese Recreation Club and Tulkoo are the competitors, the teams numbering seven.

Five Ladies' Doubles is not so strong, only four teams having entered, these comprising two Recreio outfits, and one each from the Kowloon Cricket Club and St. Andrew's.

But in this division there is a definite ascendancy of quality over quantity. All four teams will be well matched, with the K.C.C. the probable favourites for the title.

Here are the probable compositions of the three divisions.

MEN'S DOUBLES.

Club de Recreio "A", Club de Recreio "B", Kowloon Cricket Club, St. Andrew's, Fire Brigade, Chinese Recreation Club, Tulkoo, Y.M.C.A., and Fire Brigade.

MIXED DOUBLES.

Recreio "A", Recreio "B", Kowloon Cricket Club, St. Andrew's, Fire Brigade, Chinese Recreation Club, and Tulkoo.

LADIES' DOUBLES.

Recreio "A", Recreio "B", Kowloon Cricket Club and St. Andrew's.

Stella	16.19.17	0
Inde	16.25.17 1/2	10
Blue Jacket	16.22.13 1/2	12
Robene	16.18.23 1/2	4
Widow	16.25.46 1/2	17
Adanue	16.21.18	10
Zephyr	16.22.22	10
Alba	D. N. F.	
Gall	16.20.16	8
Quinlan	16.17.14	1
Joan	16.19.59	7
Sirius	16.20.50 1/2	9
Lola	16.21.19 1/2	11

## YESTERDAY'S RACES.

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club yesterday held the Cruisers' Handicap and "A" Class contests. Cherub, piloted by Mr. V. G. Gouillon, won the Cruisers' race, while Major Griffiths at the tiller of the Waip II brought his boat home first in the race for "A" Class boats.

The following are the results:—

La Cigale	Scratch	6.34.40	3
Typhoon	(C. Croucher)	6.35.05	7
Curlew	(Major C. C. Fowken)	7.48.20	9
	(Major)	6.35.39	7
	(Major Drennan)	7.53.19	9
Tern		6.45.57	
	(Lieut. Dugan)	8.01.55	10
Wanderer		10.44	
	(C. C. Blake and H. F. Phillips)	7.09.01	8
Monsoon		6.52.31	
	(R. Grievie)	7.43.19	4
Sea Lark		18.23	
	(Mr. E. M. G. G. G.)	8.02.40	6
Cherub		13.30	
	(Mr. V. Goulburn)	7.28.16	1
Penguin		6.52.51	
	(Mr. V. Goulburn)	7.46.20	5
Taty II		D.N.F.	
	"A" Class		
Osla A2		7.10.58	3
	(Major S. Edwards)		
Wasp II A3		6.44.15	1
	(Major Griffin)		
Acadia A10		D.N.F.	
Pat A12		6.48.35	2
	(Commander Elliott)		
Kemp	(Captain)		

## SPORT ADVTs.

## THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday the 17th November, 1934. (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building, the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hongkong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, the 8th November, 1934.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Canvas Shoes with durable rubber soles. Wear them every time for every sport.

.90 pair.

CHINA BUILDING, and all branches.

## SHANGHAI MEETING

## H. MAITLAND WINS CLASSIC EVENT

Shanghai, Nov. 3. The following are the results of the Shanghai Autumn Race Meeting:—

1. **Rooshow Handicap**.—1 mile. Mrs. Robinson's The Black Sheep (John Sparke) 1  
Mr. Hard's Sternfeld (A. W. Raymond) 2  
Speedy's Yentao (G. Pollock) 3

Time: 2 mins. 12 secs.  
The Maiden Plate.—3/4 of a mile. Mrs. Robinson's The Black Sheep (John Sparke) 1  
Mr. J. A. Collins's Neck or Nothing (V. V. Needa) 2  
Time: 1 min. 31.3/5 secs.

2. **The Maiden Plate**.—1 mile. Mrs. Robinson's The Black Sheep (John Sparke) 1  
Mr. J. A. Collins's Neck or Nothing (V. V. Needa) 2  
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Mr. J. A. Collins's Neck or Nothing (V. V. Needa) 2  
Time: 1 min. 31.3/5 secs.

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## KOWLOON GOLF

## Sixteen Players Qualify For Championship.

The qualifying round for the Kowloon Golf Club championship over a course of 18 holes was played on yesterday morning, and the following sixteen competitors qualified:—A. T. Bralor (70), G. P. Murphy (82), W. M. Groves (81), A. Ureman (82), G. Milne (88), P. G. Barry (88), R. Collings (88), A. Eastman (89), D. C. Wilson (77), W. J. Woolley (88), J. MacKie (70), A. J. Dennis (76), P. Alcock (70), W. Taylor (76), A. W. da Rosa (77) and H. H. Mundy (81).

L. D. Purves, F. E. A. Remedios and S. M. MacNider, who also took part, failed to qualify.

The first round will be played off on November 11. The Stewards are Messrs. A. Eastman and R. Henderson.

## ANNUAL FIXTURE.

After allowing for some refusals from selected players, the teams to represent St. George's and St. Andrew's Societies in the annual golf encounter at Plover on Sunday, November 18, are as follows:—

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A. E. Lissaman	R. Young
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S. H. Bodwell	D. S. Edwards
N. L. Smith (Capt.)	J. D. Ross
F. J. de Rome	R. K. Valentine
G. S. Archbutt	W. A. Stewart
A. C. I. Bowker	A. T. Lay
H. H. Mundy	E. W. Kirk
L. Goldman	K. S. Morris
J. L. Shellheiser	A. McKellar
Reserve:	Reserve:
A. B. Haworth	A. B. Purves
A. D. Humphreys	W. J. Jamieson

(M. M. Sokoloff) 2  
Oldham's Jack Point  
Time: 2 mins. 32/5 secs.  
The Ugu Cup.—Half-a-Mile.  
Mr. Matsumoto's Mako  
(S. A. Judah) 1

Morn's Salute Morn (P. Marshall) 2  
Mr. and Mrs. A. V. White's White Dawn (P. Noudt) 3  
Time: 54.3/5 secs.  
The Knapton Cup.—Seven Furlongs.  
Day's Switzerland (J. K. Brand) 1

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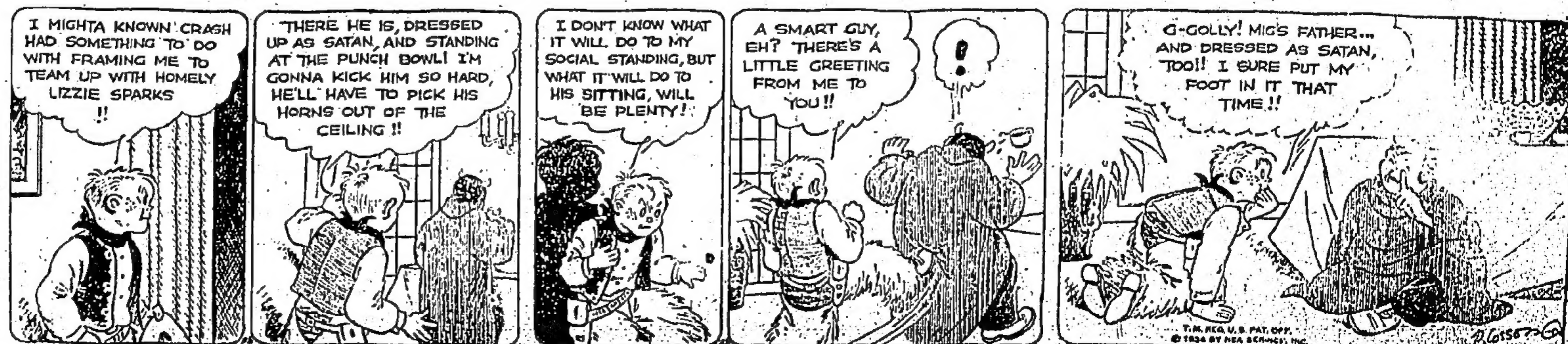
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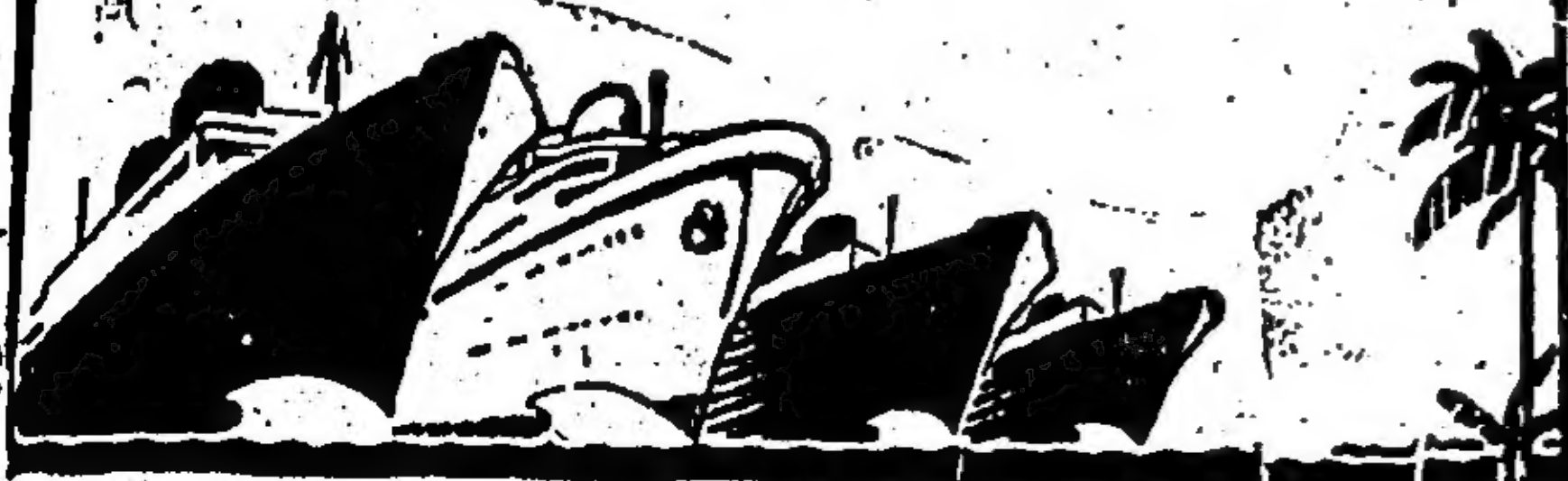
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## CHAPTER XLVIII.

The three well-dressed people in new travelling clothes rode across the wide, jangled streets of the city. Mrs. Raeburn, smart and flushed in her brown tailored suit, leaned forward to peer out of the taxi.

"Chicago!" she said triumphantly. "Why, it's just like New York—noise and all. But smokier."

Mr. Raeburn glanced about him with interest. When he alighted from the cab at the concourse of the other station he dragged his bag leg just a little. Otherwise he was a sturdy enough looking elderly man in neat grey, with a camera slung on a leather strap over his shoulder. The slip girl in blue with the two elder people was rather silent. She smiled when they spoke to her, but her bright amber-flecked eyes had a far-away look about them.

She went off to buy magazines and her mother said, with some perplexity and dissatisfaction: "Well, I declare, I don't know what we're coming to. One minute she isn't coming with us and the next she is. I haven't got over the shock of having her tell me she wasn't going to marry Edward Van Selver."

"Oh, stop fretting, mother. You elder people are delighted she's with us, instead of half way across the Atlantic."

"Of course, I am. Of course, I am. But I can't make the child out. She seems to be going around about half awake."

But she was awake. The smell of city dust and the smoke from puffing engines, the clatter of the morning edition of a New York newspaper.

"Look, darlings, will wonders never cease?"

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Boots laughed. A cheerful round it was in the big vaulted room. Two or three people turned to watch her rosy young face with interest.

"Oh, Mum, you know it was nothing of the kind," she protested. "You know we just decided we weren't suited to each other."

Her maternal parent sniffed incredulously. "Looks like it."

"I'm terribly glad, the girl mused, half to herself. "It's such a darling, and I know she was terribly fond of him. These rich men's sons never know whether they're being married for themselves alone. No, I mean it," she finished, smiling again at her mother's offended expression.

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Not that they could say she'd been fished, though. She was an heiress now. No one in Larch-neek could look down his nose at the Raeburns.

The porter came back just then and took charge of their bags. The elder people settled themselves comfortably in their drawing room. The train was to leave in 20 minutes and Mr. Raeburn, according to habit, settled himself comfortably for a nap.

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Now that she was alone she could give herself up unreservedly to her thoughts. The last week had been crowded with tasks, with the excitement of packing and departure.

Denis—Denis—Denis! He was somewhere out in the great world, far from her. But he loved her. She was putting miles between them with every breath that she drew, but perhaps one day—maybe not before she was very old—she would lift her eyes and see him smiling down at her.

Started out of her dream, she heard her name spoken in an incredulous undertone.

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"You mean—you mean you broke with Edward because of me?"

She nodded. "Oh, my darling!"

There was a long, murmurous interlude then during which the man said things for her ear only. Porters ran the length of the cement strip of platform; bells clanged and engines whistled; grimy men hung out of engine cabs and shouted cryptic nothings to others below. The train moved.

Two or three staid people with novels in their hands came to the door of the observation platform and looked curiously at the young people sitting so close together there. Boots and Denis were oblivious to all of this. Their train ran past factories, past bridges and signals. It ran rhythmically past roundhouses and towers and clicked over the ties past shoddy houses with chicken coops and metal roofed garages. Boots and Denis were in Arcady; their hands linked, their ardent faces close together, they wandered in sweet scented fields where only bright-faced flowers grew.

"And you're going to California, too," she marvelled after a long interval. "I can't believe it."

"We'll be married as soon as we get there," he said. "No good waiting more time. We've done enough of that already."

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"I can't give you what Edward would have," he told her. But she had her hand upon his lips, silencing them.

"What I can't understand is how you happen to be on this train just now," she marvelled. "I thought you were on the South Seas."

He had taken a fruit boat, he told her, bound for San Domingo. But he'd been eaten by a fever of restlessness. He'd got off at Charleston and stayed there a few days, trying to play, trying to work. Nothing had seemed right. He had taken a train for Chicago.

"And now—this?"

They stared at each other, overcome with the wonder of it all.

Mrs. Raeburn, passing through the last car in a rather anxious search for Boots, a deferential trainman in her wake, paused as though suddenly struck dumb.

"See the young lady?" the official prompted cheerfully.

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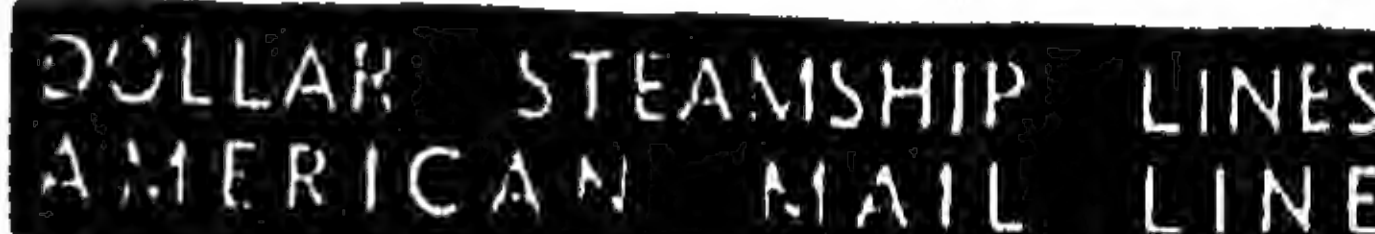
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An opportunity to acquire art knowledge and see beautiful Japanese water colours is given by Messrs. Komor & Komor, who are again holding their Fall Exhibition of water colours by Japan's foremost artists.

Paintings by Terauchi, Kobayashi, Hanson, Yoshida, etc., and one new man "Kaisen" are known the world over. Every subject is represented and the beauty of the East is shown in colours vivid but still natural. Prices are exceedingly reasonable. A craving for beauty in the home can be satisfied from \$3 upwards. Scenes of the sea, mountains, figures, birds and trees give a large variety to select from.

The Exhibition will be open for ten days only and all are welcome from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Komor & Komor's Art Galleries in York Buildings.

### FINE SEND-OFF FOR "EAGLE"

#### AIRCRAFT CARRIER LEAVES

The aircraft carrier H.M.S. Eagle, left this morning for Singapore, to the accompaniment of music and cheers from their own band and the crews of other warships in harbour.

Long after the great ship had steamed out of harbour several of her aeroplanes flew round the island before setting off after the carrier which was accompanied by H.M.S. Witch and H.M.S. Vetchan.

H.M.S. Eagle is proceeding Home eventually and will be replaced by H.M.S. Hermes which will probably arrive in December.

H.M.S. Grimsby is expected here soon to replace H.M.S. Cornflower and another naval tug will be available with the arrival of the Barnet.

## GIRL'S AMMUNITION

### FIND

#### Police Faced With A Mystery

Mystery surrounds the discovery, by a small Chinese girl, of 200 rounds of ammunition, on the staircase of house No. 116 Des Voeux Road Central, during the week-end.

It appears that the girl, on making the discovery, attracted the attention of Fung Kwan-lum, a cloth-artist, who went up to examine the contents of the parcel. A Chinese detective was in the vicinity and arrested Fung.

Fung was charged before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court, this morning, with the possession of the ammunition without a licence from the I.C.P.

The defendant pleaded not guilty and explained the circumstances of the discovery. He stated that he worked at the place where he was arrested.

Detective-Inspector J. Murphy, for the prosecution, remarked that it was a rather peculiar case. The defendant lived in Yau-mai district. He applied for a remand of 48 hours, with reasonable bail.

The Magistrate: Why do you ask for the remand?

Insp. Murphy: We want to go further into the case; there may be something at the back of it.

The Magistrate: It seems you really think that he is innocent, but you want more time to find out. When was he arrested?

Insp. Murphy: On Saturday. We have got the small girl.

Mr. Booth told me that I should go into the case and find out more about it. It is not usual to find ammunition lying in a stairway.

Inspector Murphy agreed that the defendant had committed no offence if he merely picked up the ammunition without knowing what it was.

Defendant, replying to his Worship, said he lived "from hand to mouth," and could not raise

## ISAKO CIRCUS

### STILL DRAWING BIG AUDIENCES

Isako's Russian Circus, which since transfer across the harbour, has gone to a new location at Johnston Road, near Causeway Bay, is proving a tremendous draw. Several thousands were in the big tent on Saturday, when a new programme was opened.

Juggling and balancing feats were of a high order, and these well deserved the previous notices given; but it is in the animal performances that the Circus excels. The docility with which these dumb performers, whether elephants or ponies, lend themselves to every command of the trainers, has impressed all those who have visited the Circus.

The flying trapeze artists give a quite thrilling act; while another performance, with a character of its own, is the appearance of a troupe of Cossacks, hardy horsemen of the Russian steppe, who contrive within the space of a quarter of an hour, to epitomize much of what is already known of them. If to see them in action, alone, the Circus is well worth a visit.

### COLLISION IN THE HARBOUR

#### FERRY-BOAT SINKS SAMPAN

As the Mongkok ferry steamer Man Tak was proceeding across the harbour from the mainland at 6.30 last night, it collided with a sampan which was allegedly showing no lights, and sank it.

The three occupants of the sampan were rescued by the launch, one of them a woman named Wong Sing, being later taken to hospital suffering from the effects of the experience.

Defendant was remanded for 48 hours in custody.

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